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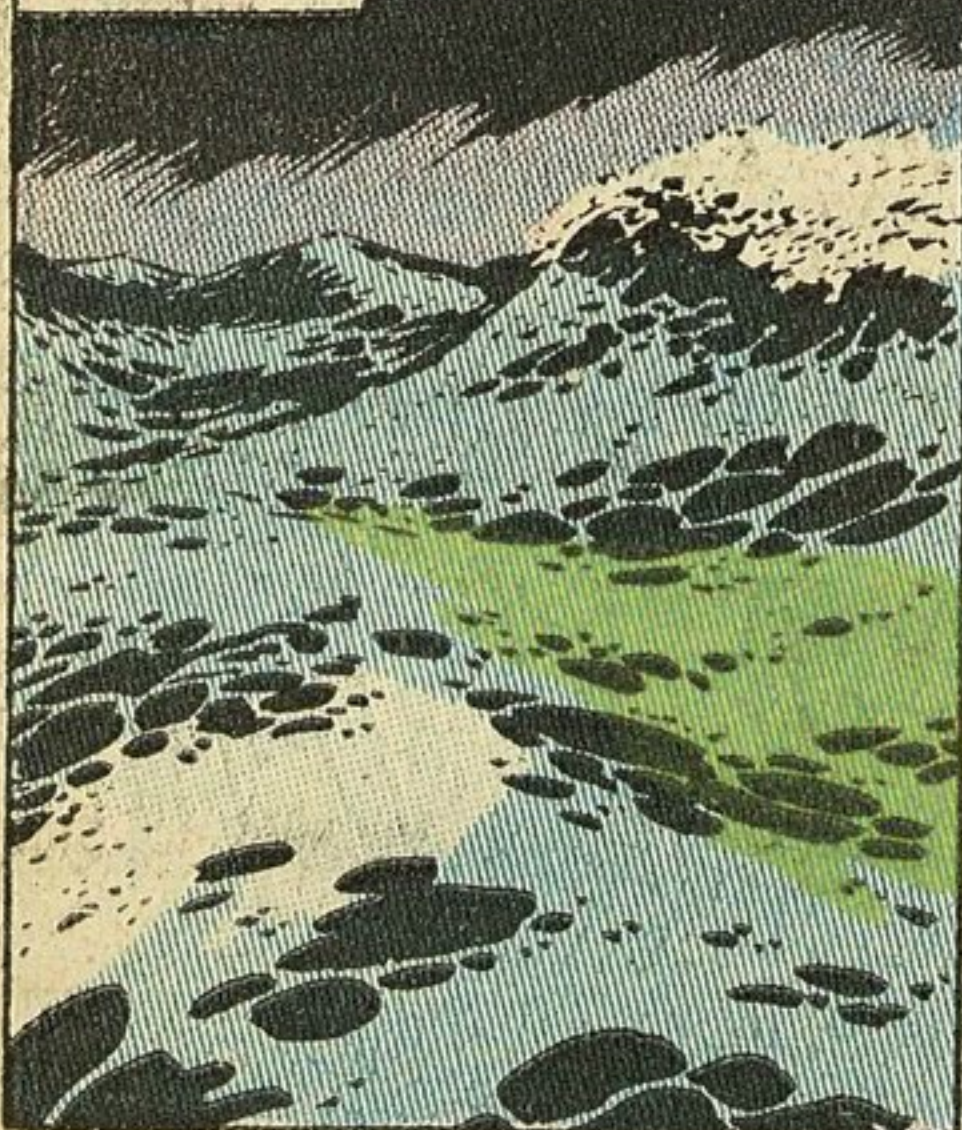
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IT'S A FAR CRY FROM A MODERN LABORATORY TO THE STRANGE WORLD OF LEGEND... BUT BART LANNING BRIDGED THE GAP IN AS BREATHLESS A STORY AS YOU'VE EVER READ! HERE IT IS... AN INCREDIBLE TALE OF SCIENCE VS. ANCIENT MYSTERY... THE PULSING ACCOUNT OF ONE MAN'S EXPLORATION INTO...

The LOST CONTINENT!



HERE IT IS... THE TOSSING, MYSTERIOUS SEA THAT COVERS SO GREAT A PART OF THE EARTH'S SURFACE! WHAT SECRETS DOES IT HIDE...?



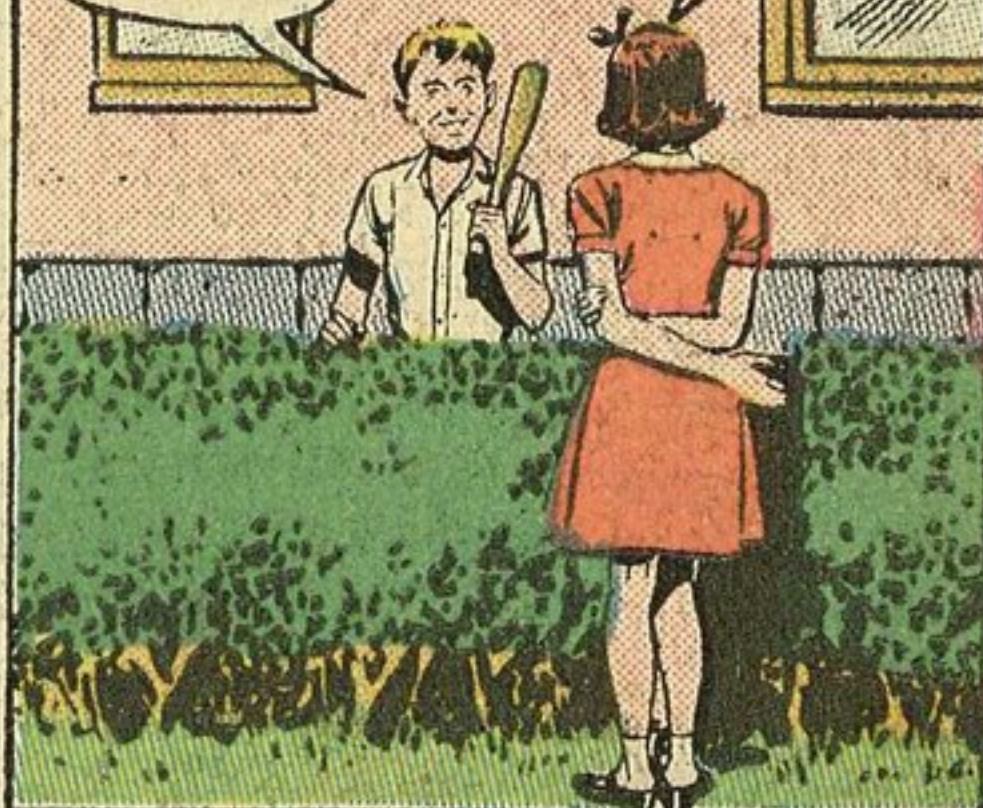
MEET BART LANNING, SCIENTIST! YOU WOULDN'T THINK THAT THIS MODEST, UNASSUMING MAN WOULD BE THE ONE TO FIND THE GREATEST SECRET OF ALL... BUT HE WAS!



LIKE TO KNOW HIS FASCINATING STORY? PERHAPS THE BEST STARTING POINT IS A BOY... AND A LITTLE GIRL NEXT DOOR...

SURE I LIKE THE MOVIES... BUT YOU'RE PRETTIER THAN ANYBODY ON THE SCREEN, NELL!

MAYBE SOMEDAY I'LL BE IN FILMS! IF... IF I AM, I'D LIKE YOU FOR MY HERO, BART!



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THE PASSING YEARS ONLY STRENGTHENED THEIR BONDS! THE HIGH SCHOOL PROM FOUND THEM TOGETHER...



YES, ALREADY THEY WERE IN LOVE...



THE YEARS OF COLLEGE SHOWED IN WHAT DIRECTION HIS ABILITY LAY...

THERE'S NO DOUBT ABOUT IT... BART LANNING'S THE MOST BRILLIANT SCIENCE PUPIL I'VE EVER HAD! HE'LL GO FAR!



HIS BEST FRIEND ON THE CAMPUS WAS WEALTHY YOUNG JIM VINCENT...

THE WHOLE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT'S TALKING ABOUT YOUR **INVENTIVE GENIUS!** BUT IF IT'S EVER GONNA AMOUNT TO ANYTHING, YOU'LL NEED A **BUSINESS MANAGER** AFTER YOU GRADUATE! FELLA... I'M IT!

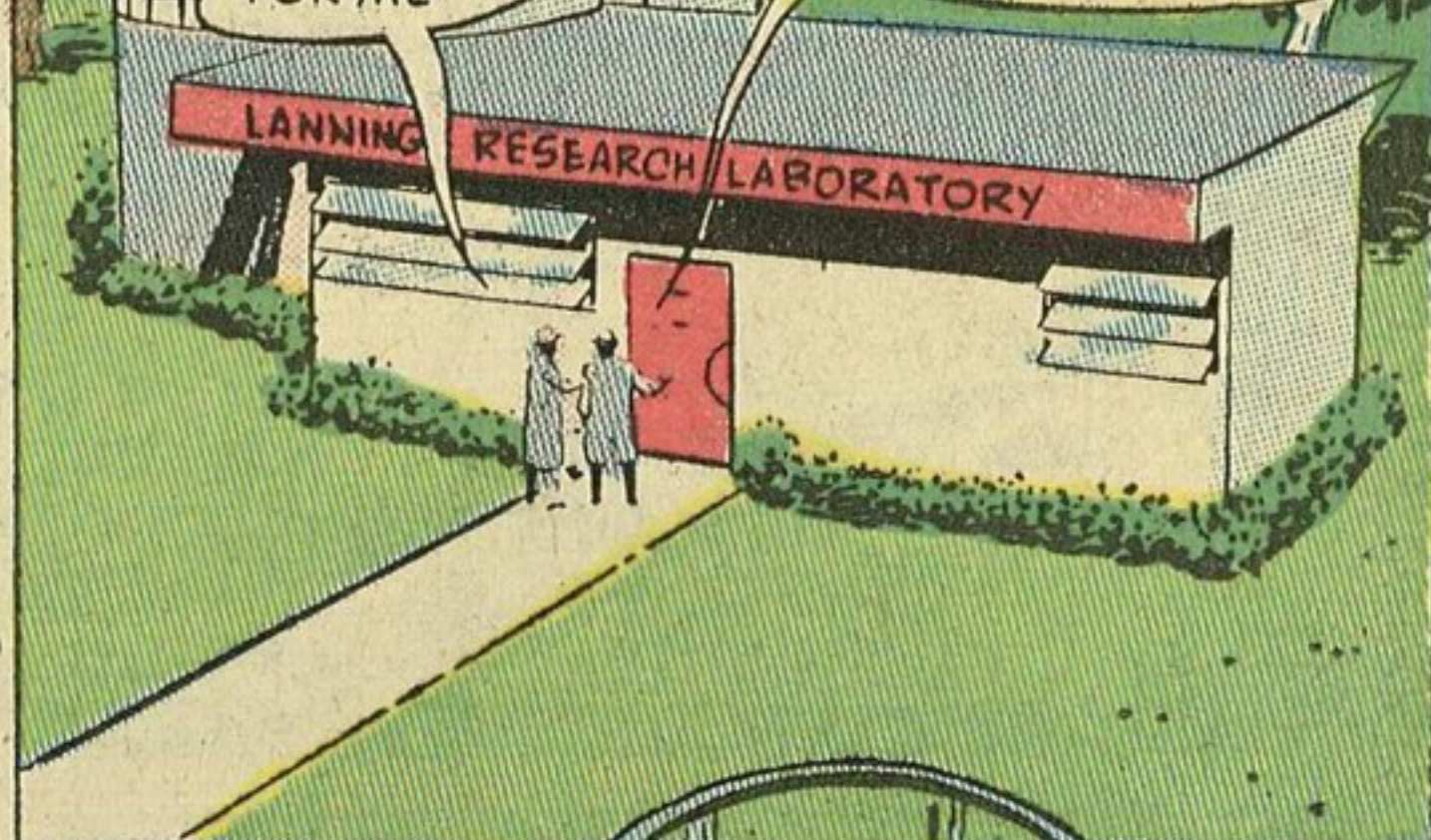
IT'S A DEAL! I DON'T KNOW ANYONE I'D RATHER HAVE THAN YOU, JIM!



HE WAS GRADUATED WITH HIGHEST HONORS... AND AFTER A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF ADVANCED STUDY...

I DON'T KNOW HOW TO THANK YOU, JIM! YOU COME TO MY HOME TOWN... INVEST YOUR MONEY IN A FINE LABORATORY FOR ME...

STOP... YOU'RE MY BEST FRIEND, AREN'T YOU? BESIDES, I EXPECT TO REAP A HANDSOME PROFIT WHEN YOU PUT YOUR SCIENCE TO **WORK!**



BART DIDN'T KNOW WHAT HE WAS STARTING WHEN HE INTRODUCED NELL TO JIM...

I CAN SEE THAT EVERYTHING BART'S SAID ABOUT YOU IS RIGHT, JIM! I KNOW WE'RE GOING TO GET ALONG WONDERFULLY!

I'LL GO ALONG WITH THAT! SAY... BART NEVER TOLD ME YOU WERE SUCH A **BEAUTY!**



AND NOW BART THREW HIMSELF INTO HIS RESEARCH HEART AND SOUL! MAYBE HE OVERDID IT... OUT OF ANXIETY TO START SHOWING A PROFIT ON HIS FRIEND'S INVESTMENT...

THIS OVERTIME WORK'S GOING TO BE A STEADY THING... BUT IT'S TOUGH ON POOR NELL! BE A PAL, WILL YOU... KEEP HER COMPANY OCCASIONALLY!

YOU'RE THE ONE WHO'S A PAL! YOU SURE YOU **TRUST** ME WITH YOUR GIRLFRIEND?



AND SO, WHILE BART WORKED INDUSTRIOUSLY, JIM AND NELL FOUND SOLACE IN EACH OTHER'S COMPANY! THEY WERE BOTH NICE PEOPLE... AND THEY GOT ON FAMOUSLY...

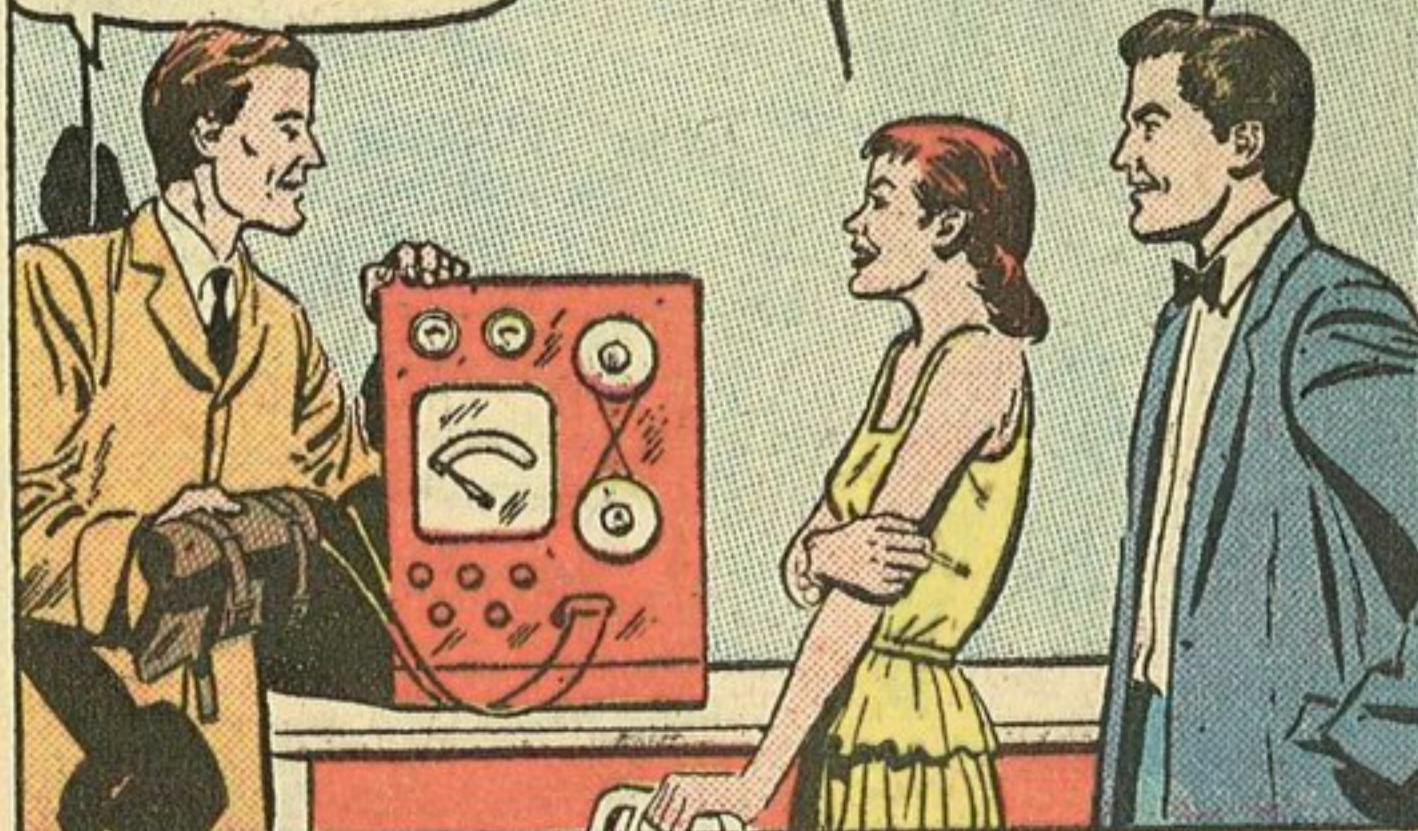


AND MEANWHILE...BART HAD COME UP WITH SOMETHING IMPORTANT...

I CALL IT THE **LANNING DETECTOR**! IT MEASURES THE DEGREE OF HUMAN EMOTIONS! AND IT'S SO SENSITIVE THAT IT CAN SERVE AS A FOOL-PROOF LIE DETECTOR!

IT SOUNDS WONDERFUL!

CONGRATULATIONS, BOY! BUT BEFORE WE ANNOUNCE IT, YOU'D BEST PUT IT THROUGH EVERY CONCEIVABLE TEST!



TEST AFTER TEST... AND NOW BART DECIDED TO TRY THE ULTIMATE... MEASURE THE EMOTIONS OF A CONDEMNED PRISONER WITH EXECUTION CLOSE AT HAND...

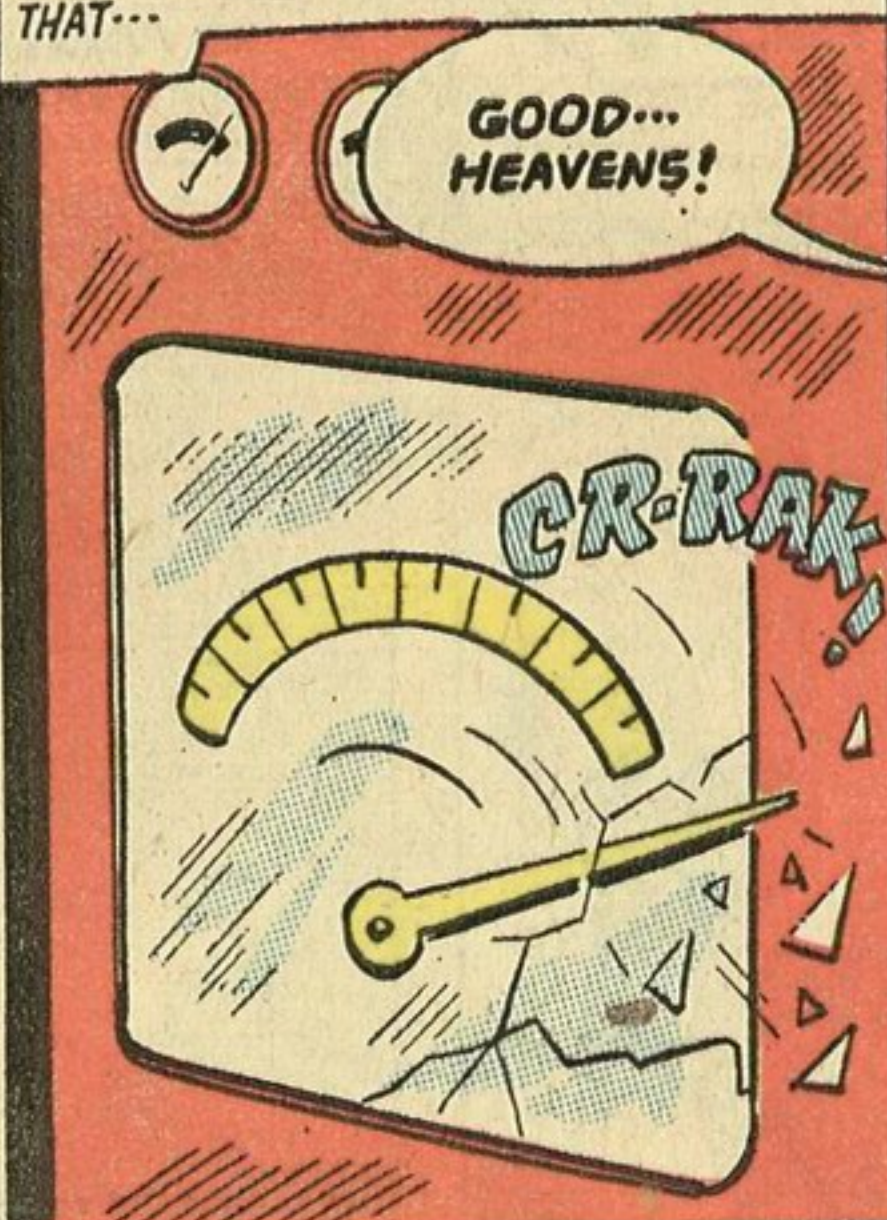
ALL I WANT IS TO GET A DIAL READING! THANKS FOR YOUR COOPERATION...

NEVER MIND THAT! GET ON WITH IT!



The **LANNING DETECTOR** REGISTERED A DEGREE OF HUMAN EMOTION SO DRASTIC THAT...

GOOD... HEAVENS!



THAT NIGHT, THE PRISONER, LEFTY GORATTI, WENT TO HIS DOOM! NEXT DAY, BART WAS SUMMONED TO POLICE HEADQUARTERS...

WE CALLED YOU IN BECAUSE YOU'RE A **SCIENTIST**, MR. LANNING... AND BECAUSE YOU WERE ONE OF THE LAST MEN TO SEE GORATTI ALIVE! I'D LIKE YOU TO LISTEN TO THE STORY THIS IDIOT'S BEEN TELLING US... AND THEN TRY TO SET HIS MIND AT REST!



THEY... THEY JUST SENT ME UP TO GORATTI'S OLD HOUSE TO GET SOME OF HIS EFFECTS... AND... AND I **SAW IT!** HIS **FACE!** IT'S... STILL THERE...

HE'S TOUCHED IN THE HEAD... TRYIN' TO TELL US **GHOST STORIES!**

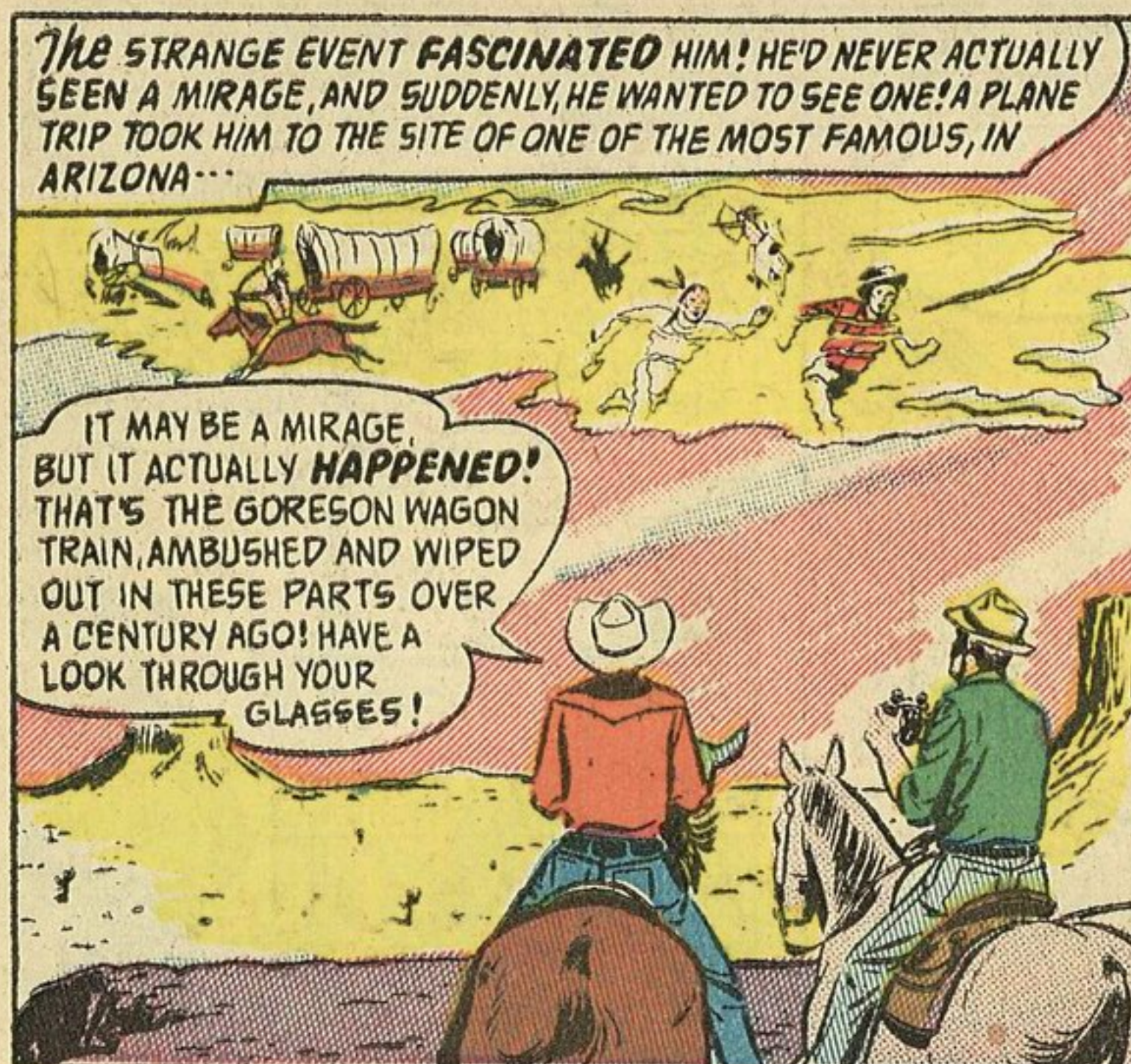
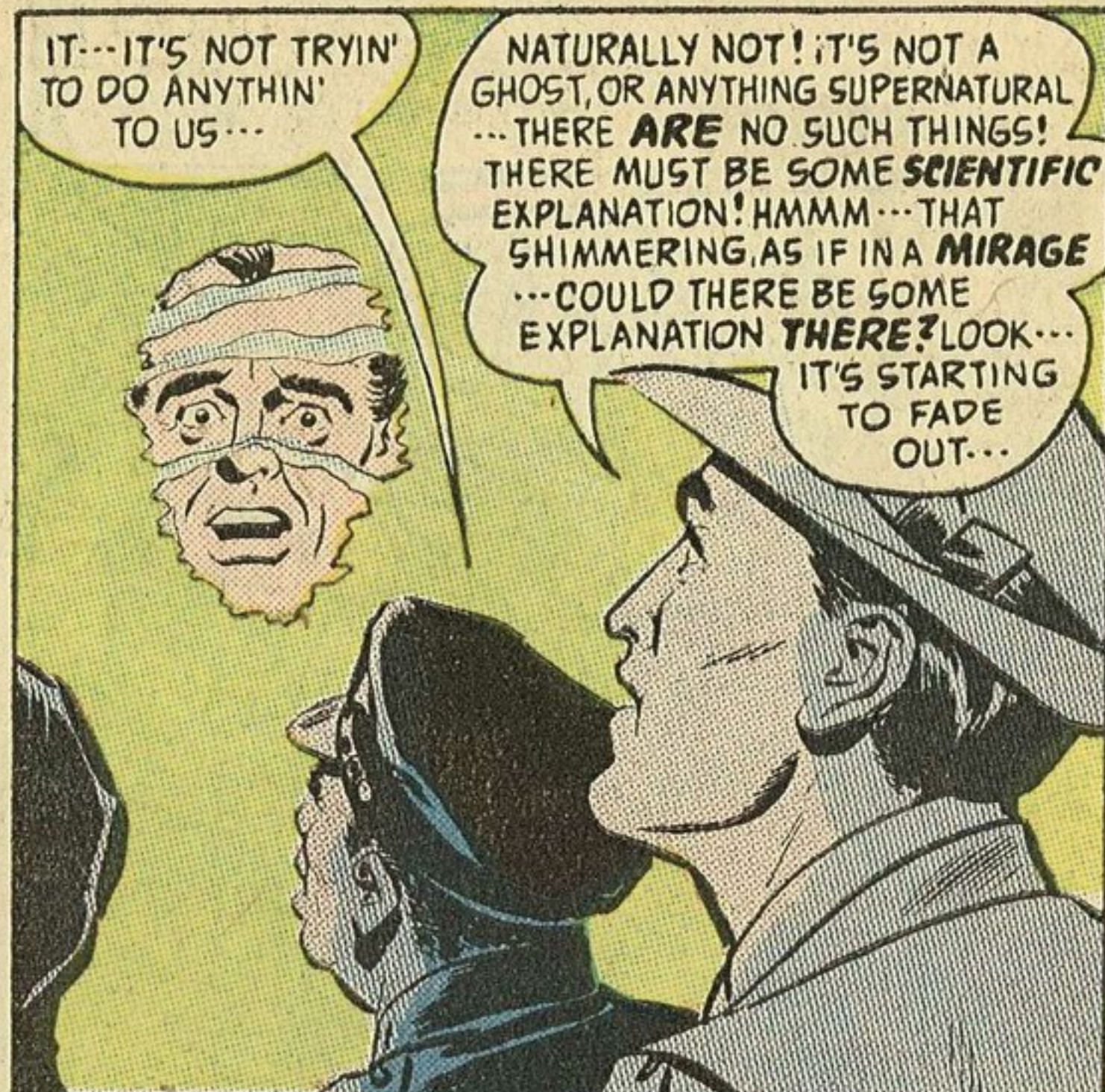


SO CONVINCED WAS THE POLICEMAN THAT HE WAS SPEAKING THE TRUTH THAT BART CONSENTED TO VISIT THE HOUSE WITH HIM! HE WANTED TO PROVE THAT IT WAS ALL IMAGINATION...

WELL... WE'RE HERE, AND I DON'T SEE ANYTHING!

LOOK! THERE IT IS, OVER THERE... **STARTING TO TAKE FORM!**





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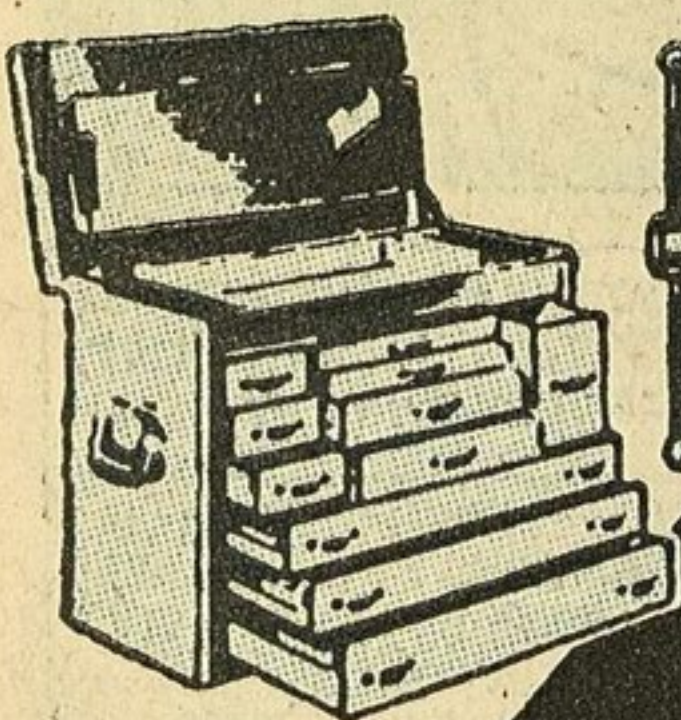
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VERY INTERESTING... BUT **SO WHAT?** WE'LL NEVER MAKE ANY MONEY OUT OF **THEORIES!** YOU JUST CONCENTRATE ON CREATING STUFF THAT **SELLS!** AND DON'T WORRY ABOUT NELL... I'LL SEE THAT SHE DOESN'T GET LONELY!



HE DIDN'T MEAN IT AS A REBUFF, BUT THAT'S HOW BART TOOK IT! HE WORKED... HARDER THAN HE EVER HAD BEFORE... NEARING THE BREAKING POINT...

I... I'VE GOT TO STICK AT IT... I CAN'T LET JIM DOWN...



AND AS DAY FOLLOWED DAY, JIM AND NELL GREW INEVITABLY CLOSER...

HAVING A GOOD TIME, KID?

YES, JIM! BUT-- BUT SOMETIMES... I... I'M AFRAID I'M HAVING **TOO GOOD** A TIME!



FINALLY... FROM HIS NEXT DOOR PORCH...

IT'S SWELL, THE WAY THEY GET ON TOGETHER... MY BEST FRIEND AND MY GIRL! I'M LUCKY, HAVING THEM... I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'D DO WITHOUT THEM!



BUT THEN...

OH, JIM... **JIM!** NEITHER OF US... WANTED IT TO HAPPEN THIS WAY... BUT WE CAN'T HELP OURSELVES...

WHAT THE...!



IT WAS OUT IN THE OPEN NOW...

SO **THIS** IS WHAT'S BEEN GOING ON BEHIND MY BACK! AND TO THINK HOW I **LOVED** YOU... YOU... **JEZEBEL!** AND YOU, JIM... YOU BACK-STABBING **TRAITOR**...

NO, BART... **NO!** IT... IT ISN'T THE WAY YOU THINK! WE NEVER WANTED TO HURT YOU... **I SWEAR IT!**

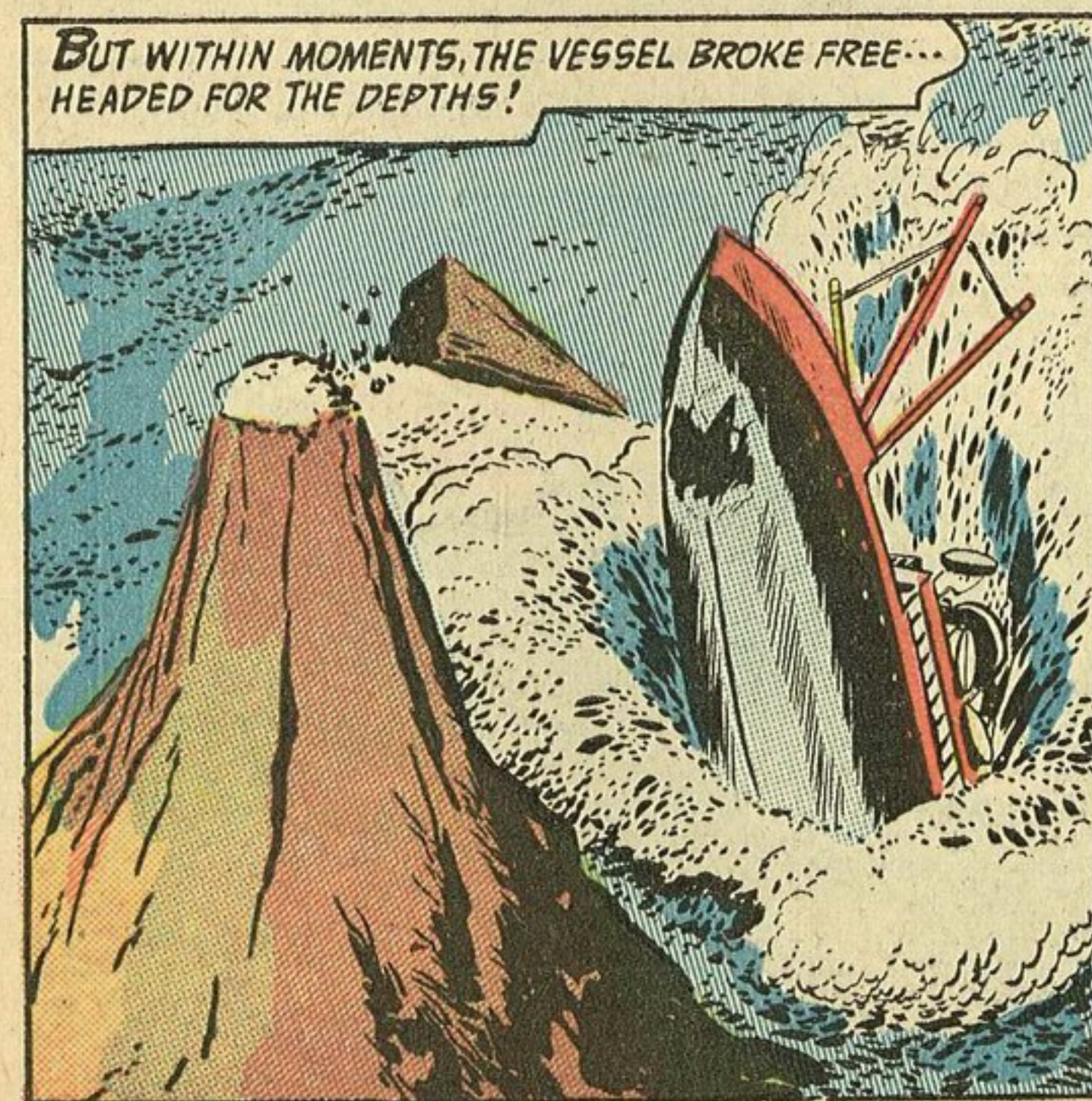
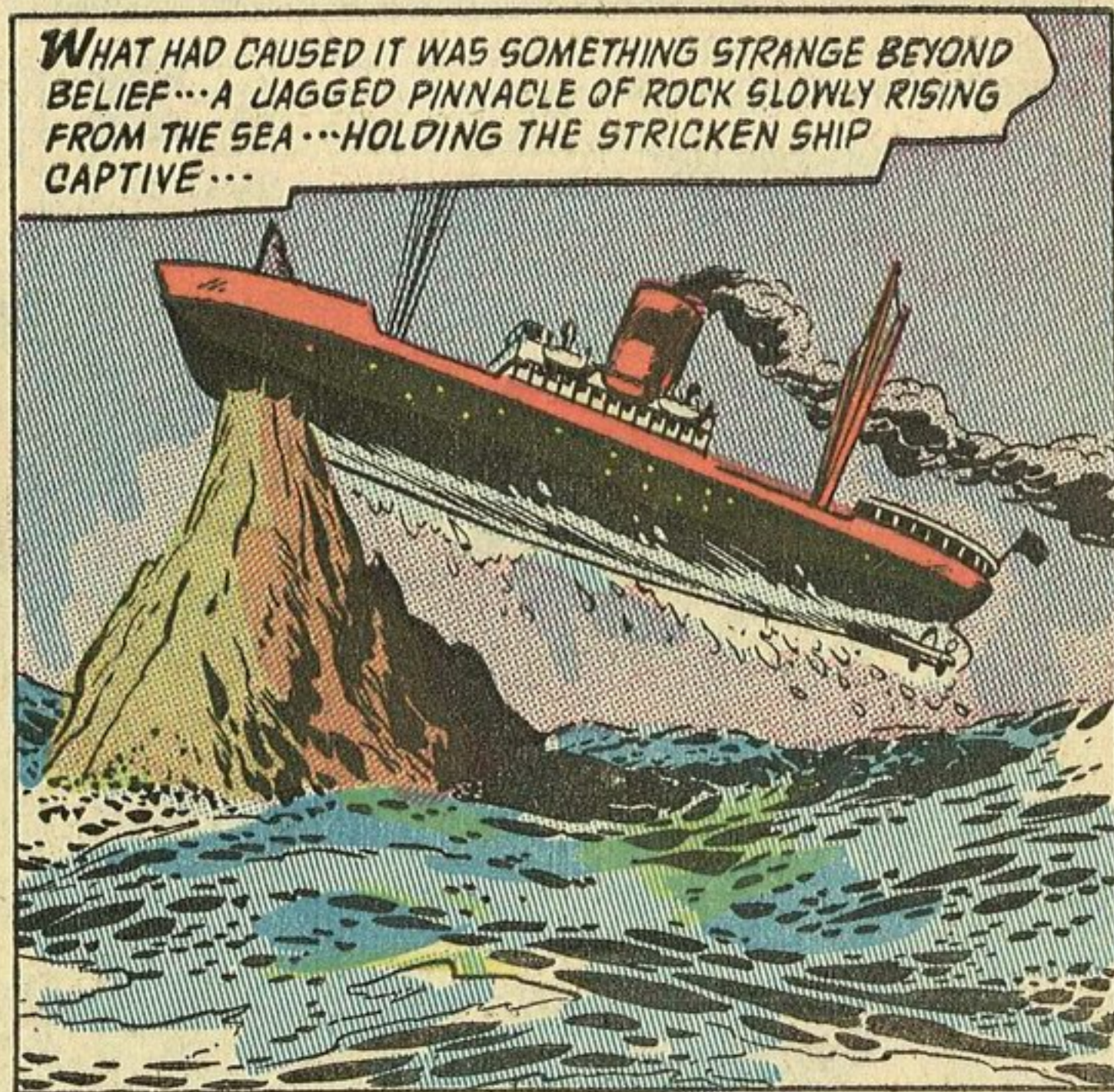
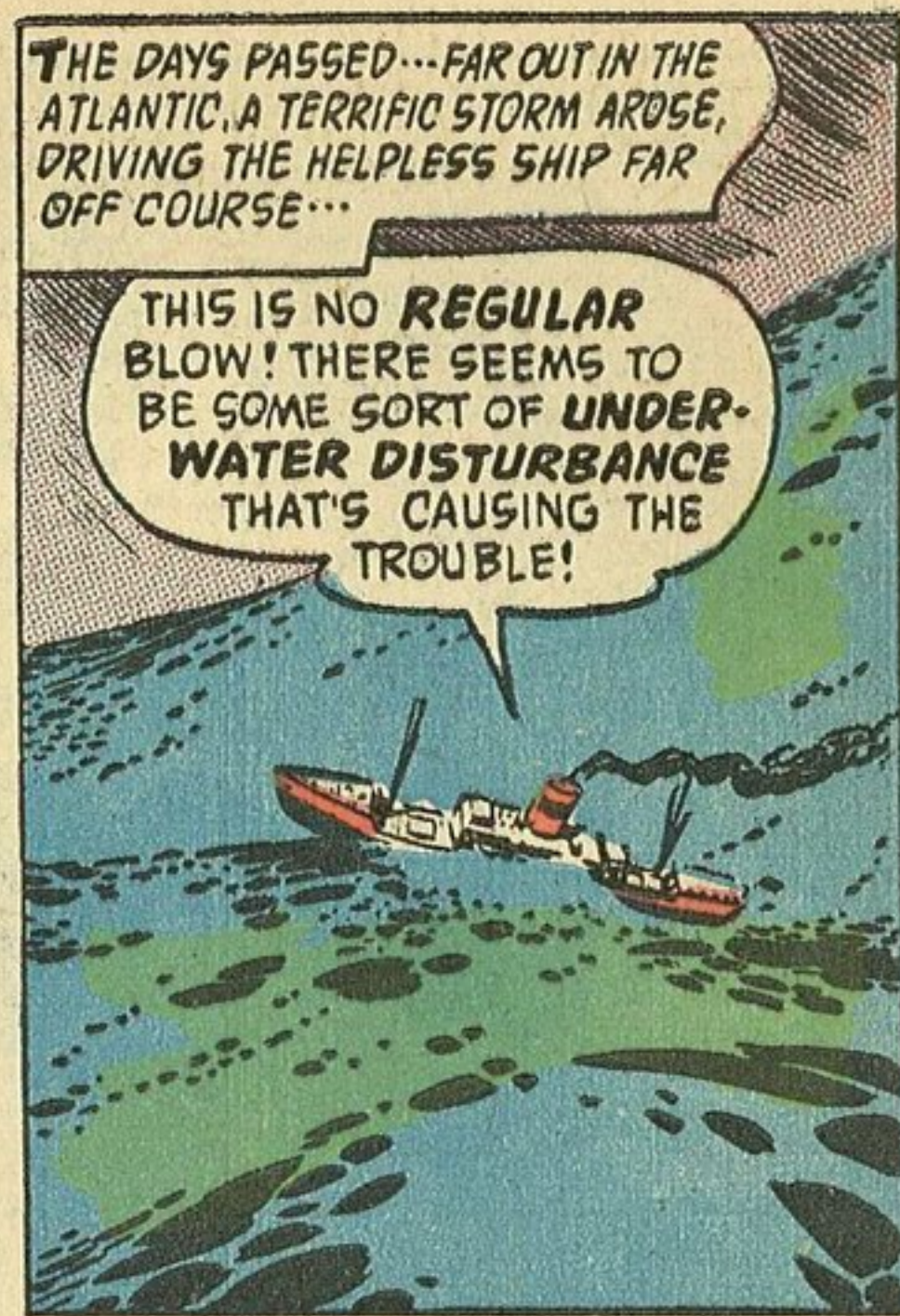
PLEASE, YOU'VE GOT TO LET US **EXPLAIN!**



THE SHOCK, MINGLED WITH MONTHS OF OVERWORK, PROVED TOO MUCH FOR BART! HE WAS HOSPITALIZED WITH A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN...

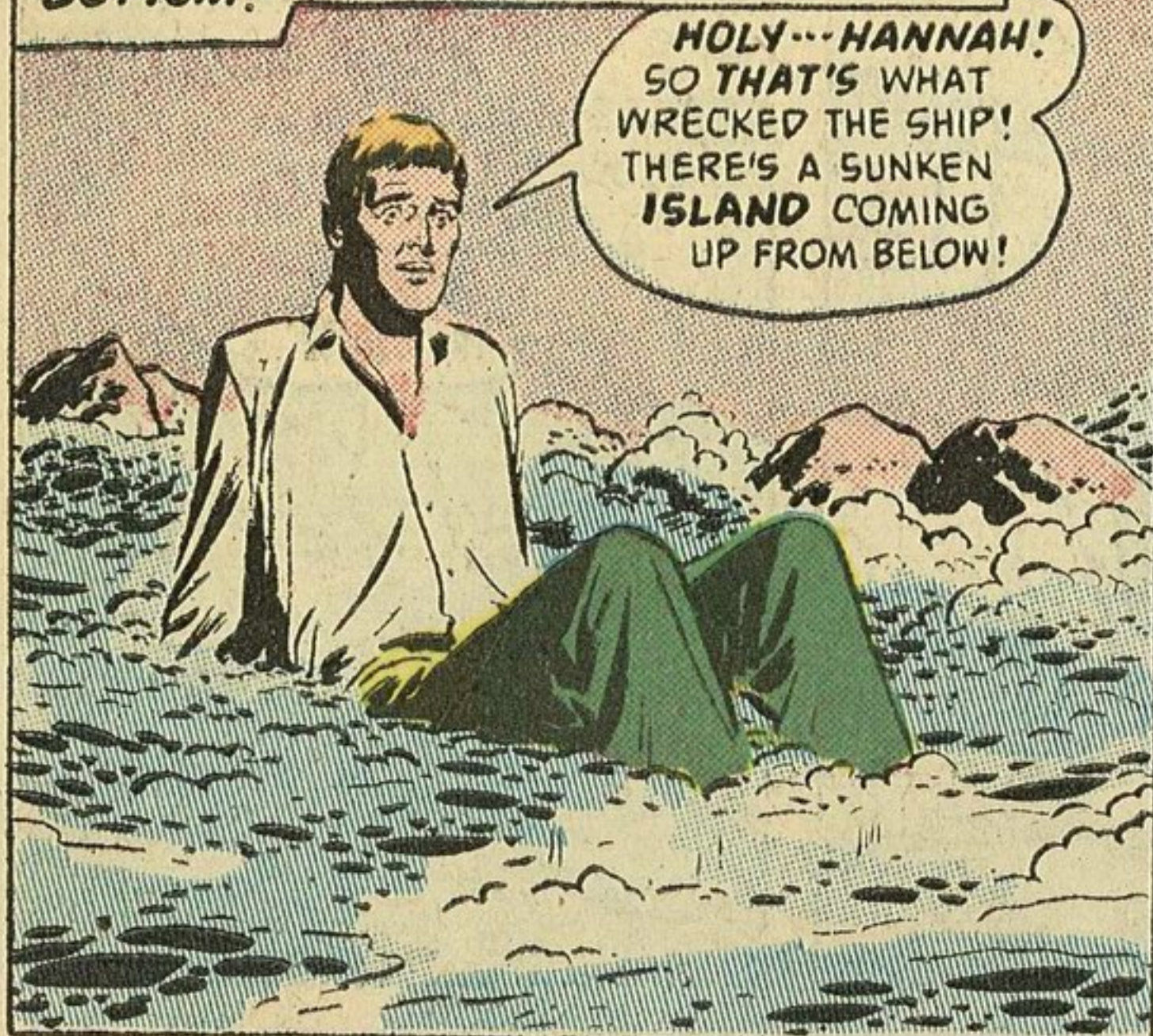
I... I HATE BOTH OF US FOR WHAT WE'VE DONE TO HIM! HOW CAN WE BLAME HIM FOR WHAT HE THINKS OF US? WE... SHOULD HAVE FOUGHT MORE STRONGLY AGAINST OUR FEELINGS...





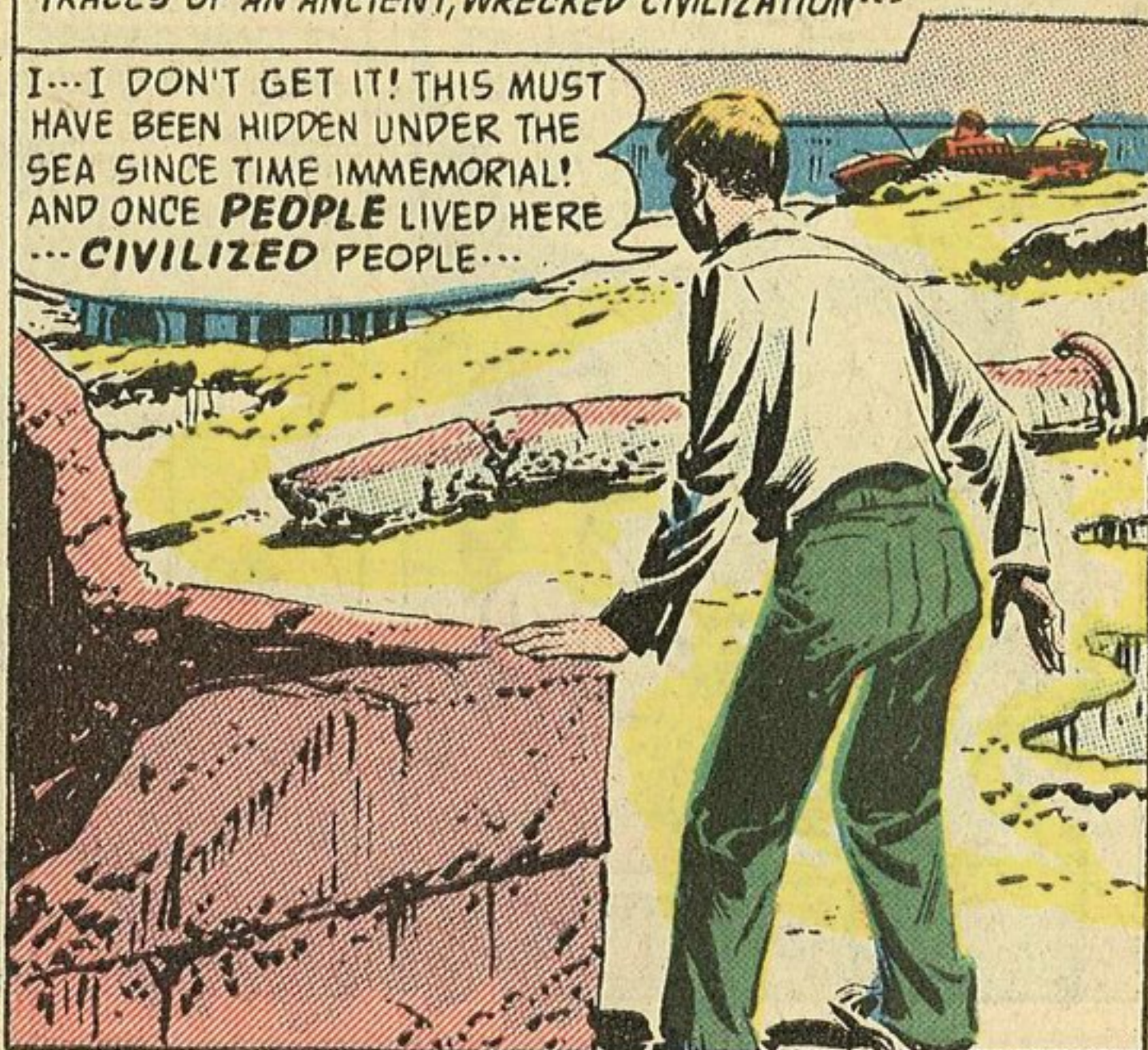
THEN SUDDENLY, IN MID-ATLANTIC, HIS FEET STRUCK BOTTOM!

HOLY... HANNAH!
SO THAT'S WHAT
WRECKED THE SHIP!
THERE'S A SUNKEN
ISLAND COMING
UP FROM BELOW!



SOON IT WAS CLEAR OF THE WATER... A VAST ISLAND, BEARING
TRACES OF AN ANCIENT, WRECKED CIVILIZATION...

I... I DON'T GET IT! THIS MUST
HAVE BEEN HIDDEN UNDER THE
SEA SINCE TIME IMMEMORIAL!
AND ONCE **PEOPLE** LIVED HERE
... **CIVILIZED** PEOPLE...



THEN, IN A FLASH, CAME THE AMAZING REALIZATION...

GREAT HEAVENS, I MUST BE
ON **ATLANTIS**... THE LOST
CONTINENT THAT SANK
BENEATH THE OCEAN
BEFORE THE DAWN
OF HISTORY... OR
A PART OF IT,
ANYWAY! IT'S...
ASTOUNDING!



NOW HE SAW SOMETHING EVEN MORE ASTOUNDING... THE
SHIMMERING VISION OF A LOVELY WOMAN! IT WAS A **MIRAGE**
... AND NOW HE KNEW ITS MEANING...

THAT EMOTION ON HER
FACE... IT MUST HAVE BEEN
AT THAT AWFUL MOMENT WHEN
THE CONTINENT WAS INUNDATED!
IT SURE BEARS OUT MY
THEORY, ALL RIGHT!
BUT SHE'S... **BEAUTIFUL!**
I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYONE
... LIKE HER...



Then... NEXT MOMENT... AS THE FURY OF THE STORM
REDOUBLED...

THE ISLAND...
IT'S SINKING
AGAIN!

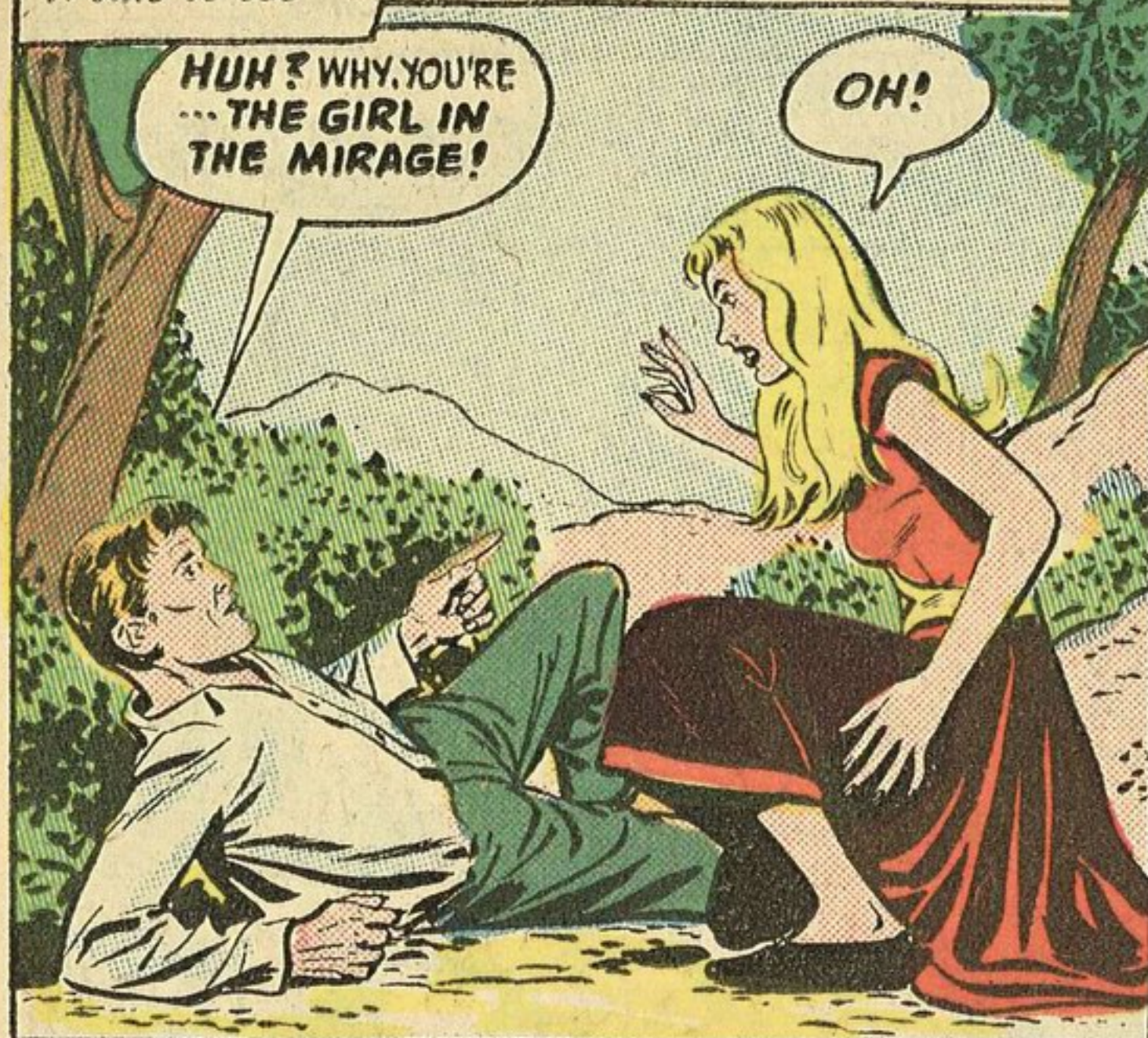


ONCE AGAIN HE SWAM... ONCE AGAIN, HE WAS
WEAKENING! BUT NOW SOMETHING STRANGE
WAS HAPPENING...

THIS IS... THE
END! I'M...
**SEEING
THINGS...**



THEN CAME UNCONSCIOUSNESS! WHEN HIS EYES OPENED, IT WAS TO SEE...



I'M THE PRINCESS KARLA...AND YOU'RE A STRANGER IN THIS REALM, PROBABLY A SPY! I'LL GUMMON THE GUARDS...HAVE YOU EXECUTED...

BUT I MEAN YOU NO HARM! LOOK, I DON'T KNOW HOW I GOT HERE...BUT I DO KNOW THAT YOU'RE TOO BEAUTIFUL, TOO KIND TO CONDEMN A POOR STRANGER LIKE THAT! PROMISE YOU WON'T TURN ME IN!



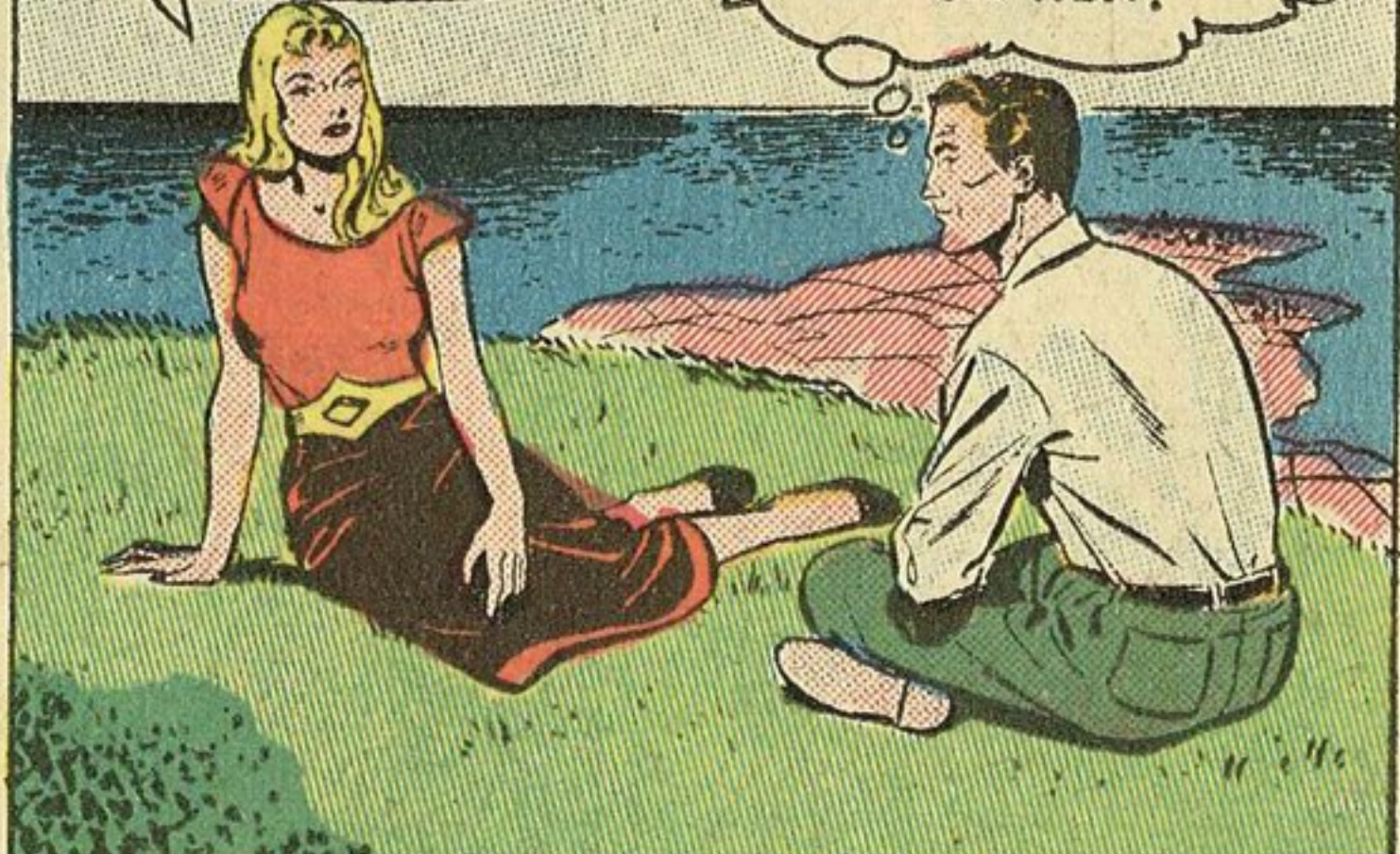
IN LETTING HER GO, HE KNEW THAT HE WAS RISKING EXPOSURE AND DEATH...BUT THERE WAS SOMETHING IN HER EYES WHICH MADE HIM TRUST HER! AND NEXT DAY SHE WAS BACK... ALONE...



HE ENCHANTED HER WITH STORIES OF HIS WORLD...STORIES WHICH SHE PROFESSED TO DISBELIEVE...

ATLANTIS IS THE GREATEST OF ALL NATIONS...ALWAYS HAS BEEN AND ALWAYS WILL BE! IT'S POWERFUL...INDESTRUCTIBLE...

POOR GIRL! IF MY INFORMATION'S CORRECT, ATLANTIS IS DOOMED WITHIN JUST A FEW DAYS! SHE DOESN'T KNOW IT, BUT NOTHING CAN SAVE IT...OR HER!



HE KNEW THAT HE HAD TO GET OUT IN TIME...WHY DID HE KEEP DELAYING? HE LINGERED, LOOKING FORWARD EAGERLY TO HER VISIT EACH DAY...



SUDDENLY HE SENSED A MOVEMENT...AND THERE...

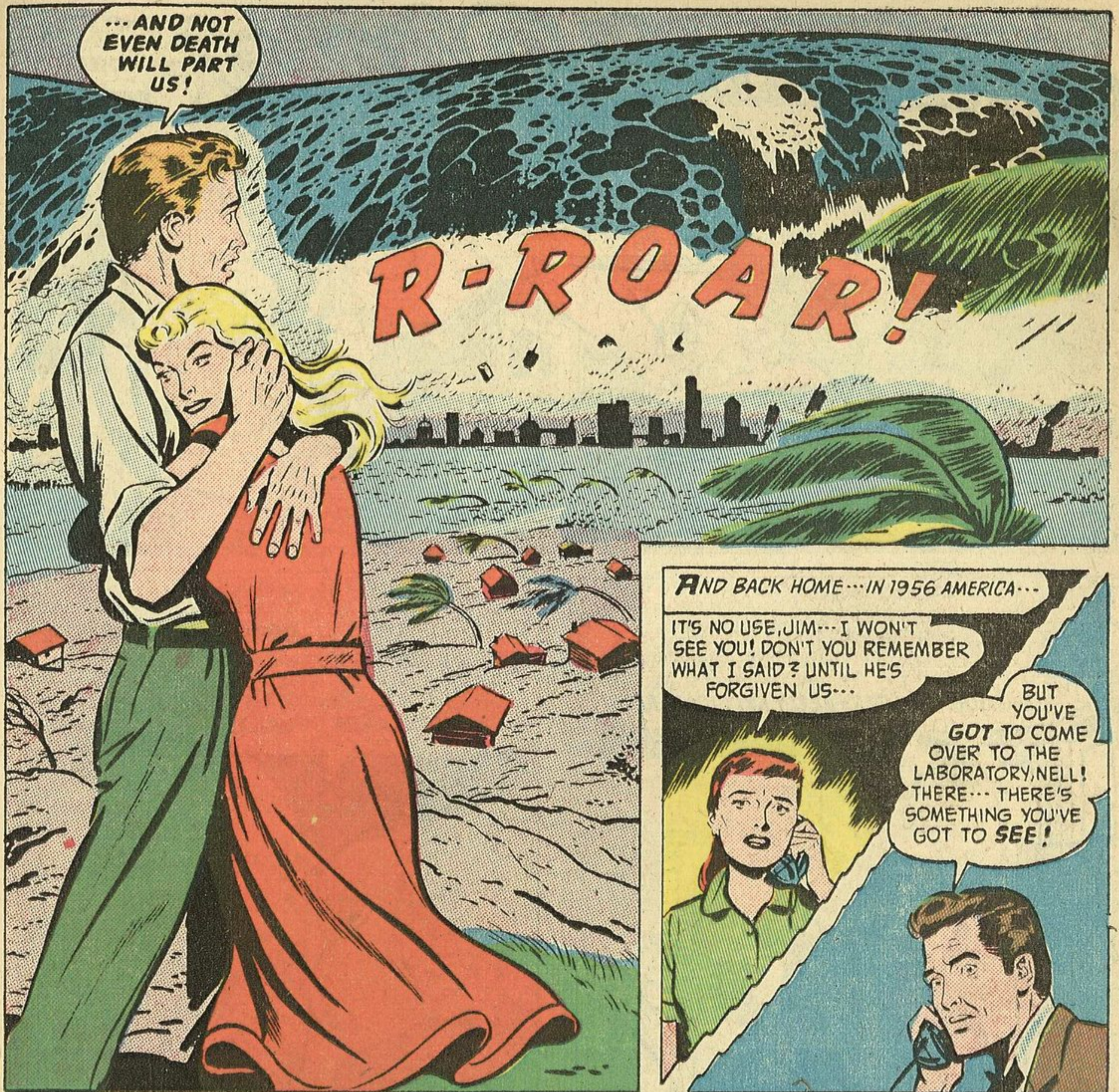


WHY DIDN'T YOU BRING...YOUR WHOLE ARMY?

DON'T SLAY HIM! BRING HIM BEFORE THE TRIBUNAL!







AND BACK HOME...IN 1956 AMERICA...

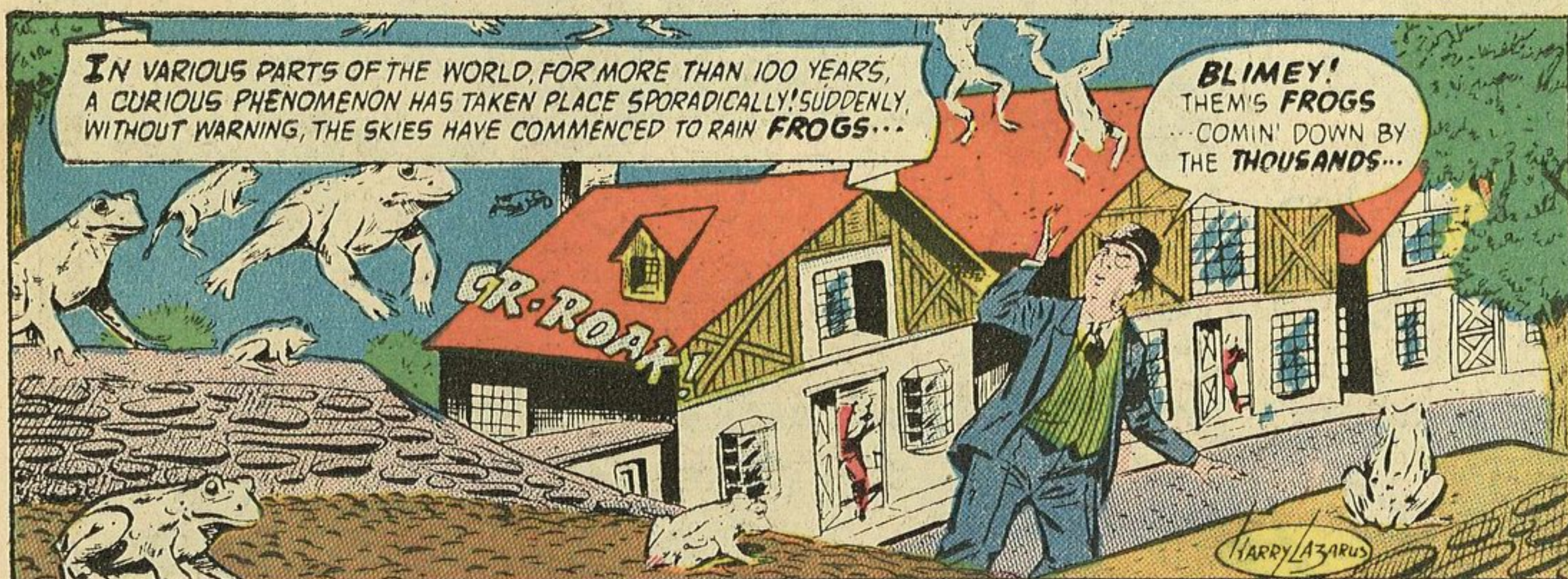
IT'S NO USE, JIM... I WON'T SEE YOU! DON'T YOU REMEMBER WHAT I SAID? UNTIL HE'S FORGIVEN US...

BUT YOU'VE GOT TO COME OVER TO THE LABORATORY, NELL! THERE... THERE'S SOMETHING YOU'VE GOT TO SEE!



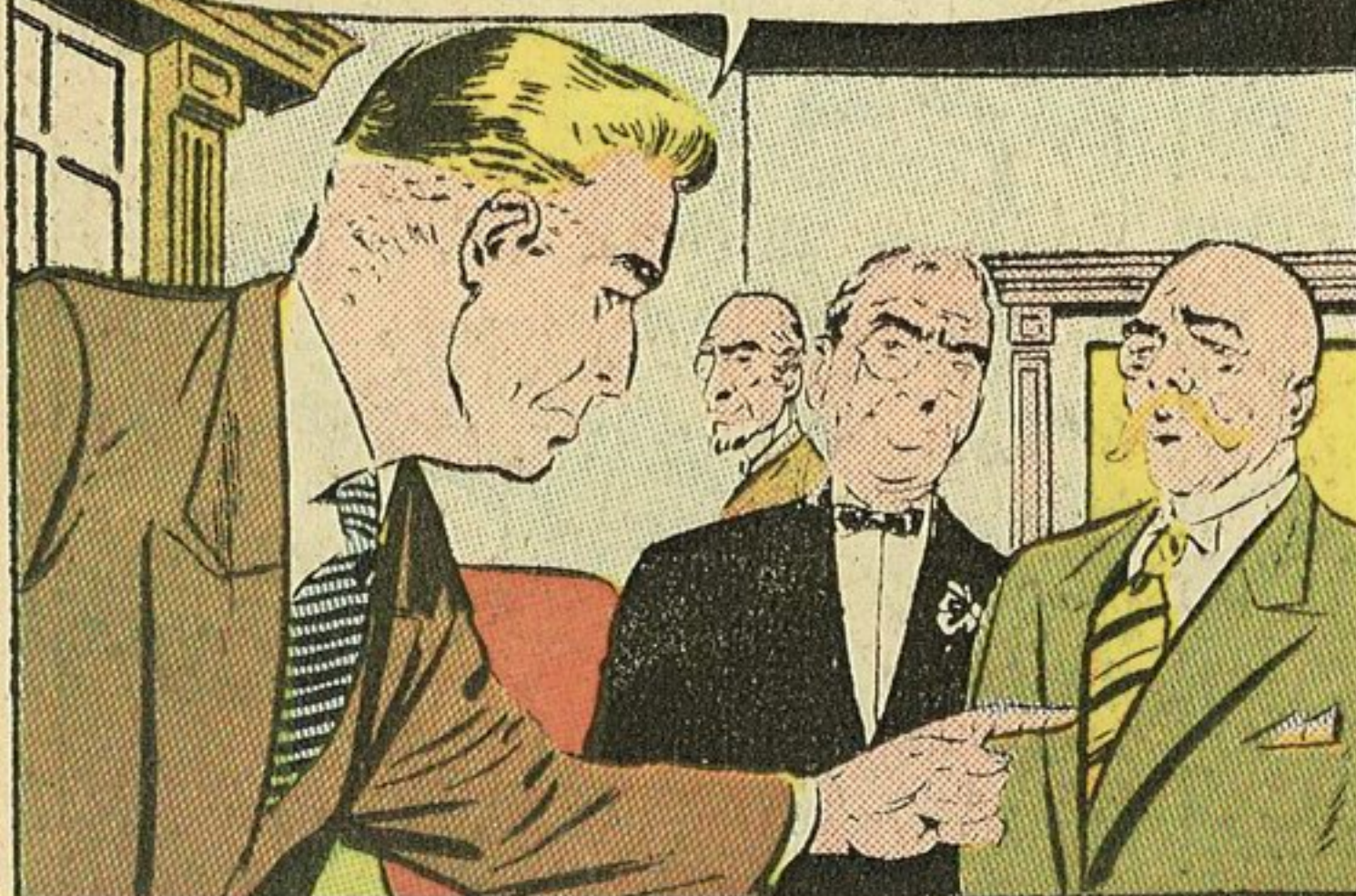
EXPLANATION, PLEASE!

NO. 1 FALLING FROGS



A FAMILIAR EXPLANATION HAS USUALLY FOLLOWED...

OBVIOUSLY SOME **WHIRLWIND** SCOOPED UP A LAKE OR POND AND DEPOSITED THE FROGS SOME DISTANCE AWAY! THE CIRCUMSTANCE MAY BE **UNUSUAL**, BUT **PERFECTLY EXPLICABLE!**



THE ONLY TROUBLE IS, MANY SCIENTISTS REFUSE TO ACCEPT THE EXPLANATION...

RIDICULOUS! NOBODY HAS REPORTED LOSING A LAKE! FURTHERMORE, A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION HAS FAILED TO SHOW ANY REPORT OF ANY WHIRLWIND WITHIN **THOUSANDS OF MILES!**



AS ALREADY STATED, THE EVENT HAS TAKEN PLACE ALMOST EVERYWHERE, AND CAREFUL STUDIES ALWAYS REVEAL THE SAME BAFFLING MYSTERIES...

IF A **WHIRLWIND** IS RESPONSIBLE, WHY DO ONLY **FROGS** COME DOWN? WHY NOT WATER PLANTS, FISHES, TURTLES...?

YES, AND WHY ARE THEY ALWAYS **YOUNG** FROGS... JUST A FEW MONTHS OF AGE? AND WHY ARE THEY ALWAYS **UNUSUALLY WHITE?**



SOCIETIES FOR PSYCHIC RESEARCH HAVE WORKED TIRELESSLY TO FIND AN ANSWER, BUT AS YET THERE HAS BEEN **NONE!**

OF COURSE, **WE** THINK THE FROGS MAY COME FROM **ANOTHER WORLD!** IF YOU HAVE ANY THEORIES, **LET'S HEAR THEM!**



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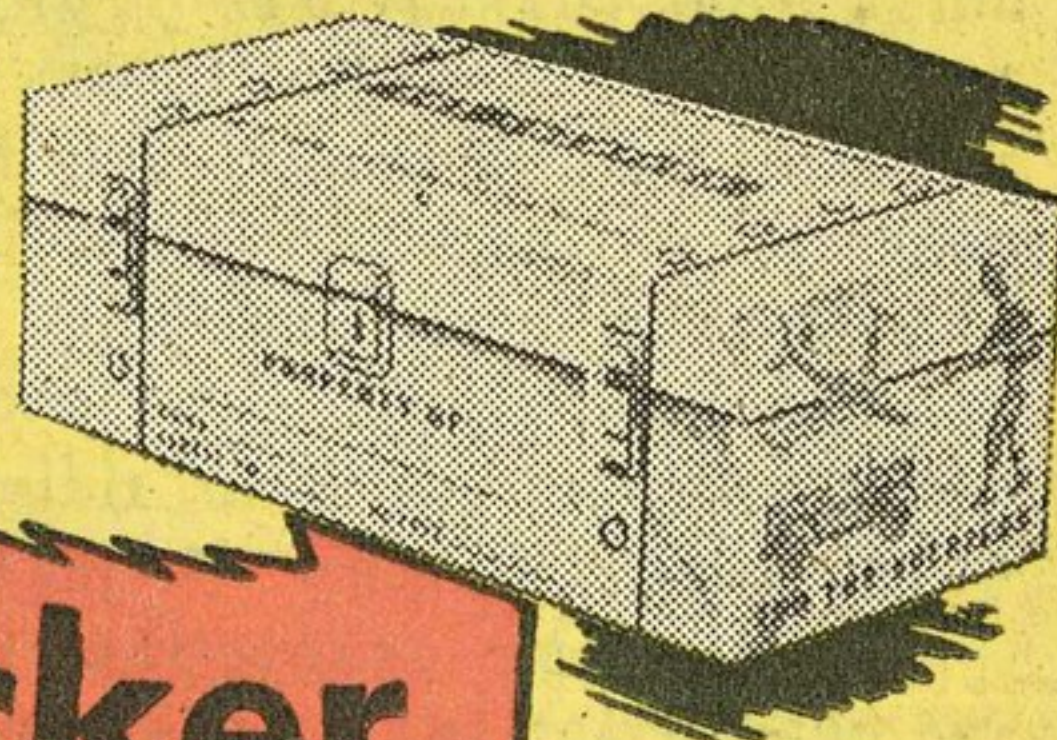
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DREAMING *of* ANITA

ALWAYS, Clark Johnson's dream was the same. He saw a wild, desolate moor, over which the wind howled. He'd sense a motion, and then she'd be there...a beautiful girl in white, flowing robes, with a compassionate face and long black hair blowing in the wind. They would wander together along the bleak, mysterious expanses of the moor, and talk. Night after night he would meet her, and he could not help but be aware of the aura of power which Anita...that was her name...seemed to possess. There didn't seem to be anything supernatural about it. He just had the idea that this strange girl could do things. He thought it wise to be on his best behavior with her, so always, he made sure to be at his most charming. And Anita responded to his effort...by falling in love with him.

He didn't realize this until, one night, she took leave of him with an odd utterance. It was the single word "Millard". What could it mean? Why had she said it? In dream after dream, the inexplicable word repeated itself, and he pondered on its mystery...until the day when he read in the newspaper that Millard Mines, Ltd., had just announced a stock offering. It was ridiculous, of course...but couldn't it just be that there was some connection, that Anita had been trying to do something for him? The more he thought about it, the more conviction grew. It ended by Clark investing all his ready cash in Millard Mines...a buy which promptly quadrupled in value. But it didn't stop there. Often when he dreamed of Anita now, she'd leave him with a word that brought him material gain. It might be a winning horse, a lucky sweepstakes number, anything...but he couldn't lose! It was a comfortable life now, having enough

money to indulge himself in every luxury...and a comfortable thought that it was inexhaustible; that all he had to do was dream of the girl on the moor, and a golden harvest would be forthcoming! What he didn't realize was that he was becoming obsessed with material things and more concerned with Anita's power than Anita herself. Did she realize what was happening? It didn't seem that way, because on the very next time that he dreamed of her, she seemed more devoted than ever. She seemed loath to take her leave of him, clutching his hands tightly as she whispered into his ear a word, a name...Peters. And Clark woke exultantly, knowing that Peters was the challenger who was meeting the heavyweight champion. The odds were heavily on the champion, too, so why not go all out this time? Which is exactly what Clark Johnson did, liquidating every cent of his holdings and betting everything he had in the world on Peters...who was knocked out in the very first round.

Bewildered, Clark sought the answer to this strange development in his dreams. Anita would explain what happened! As usual his dream opened the same way...with the wild desolate moor and the wind howling. But that was all. Never did Anita make her way towards him again...never again did he ever see her. And now to Clark Johnson came the awful realization of what he had had...and thrown away. Too late he recognized the value of Anita's love for what she was rather than the material gain she had brought him. He knew that he deserved the punishment which she had doled out to him. Oh, if only he had it to do over again...but now Anita was gone from his life forever.

THE POWERFUL CAR SLOSHED DOWN THE COUNTRY ROAD THROUGH DRIVING RAIN AND AHEAD A NEON SIGN BLINKED GARISHLY! FINANCIER JOHN SHAW HAD NO WAY OF KNOWING WHAT WAS WAITING FOR HIM THE MOMENT HE SET FOOT IN...

The ALL NIGHT DINER!



THAT'S THE ONLY RESTAURANT I'VE SEEN ALONG THIS MISERABLE ROAD! I'LL HAVE TO EAT **THERE!**

EMIL GERSHWIN

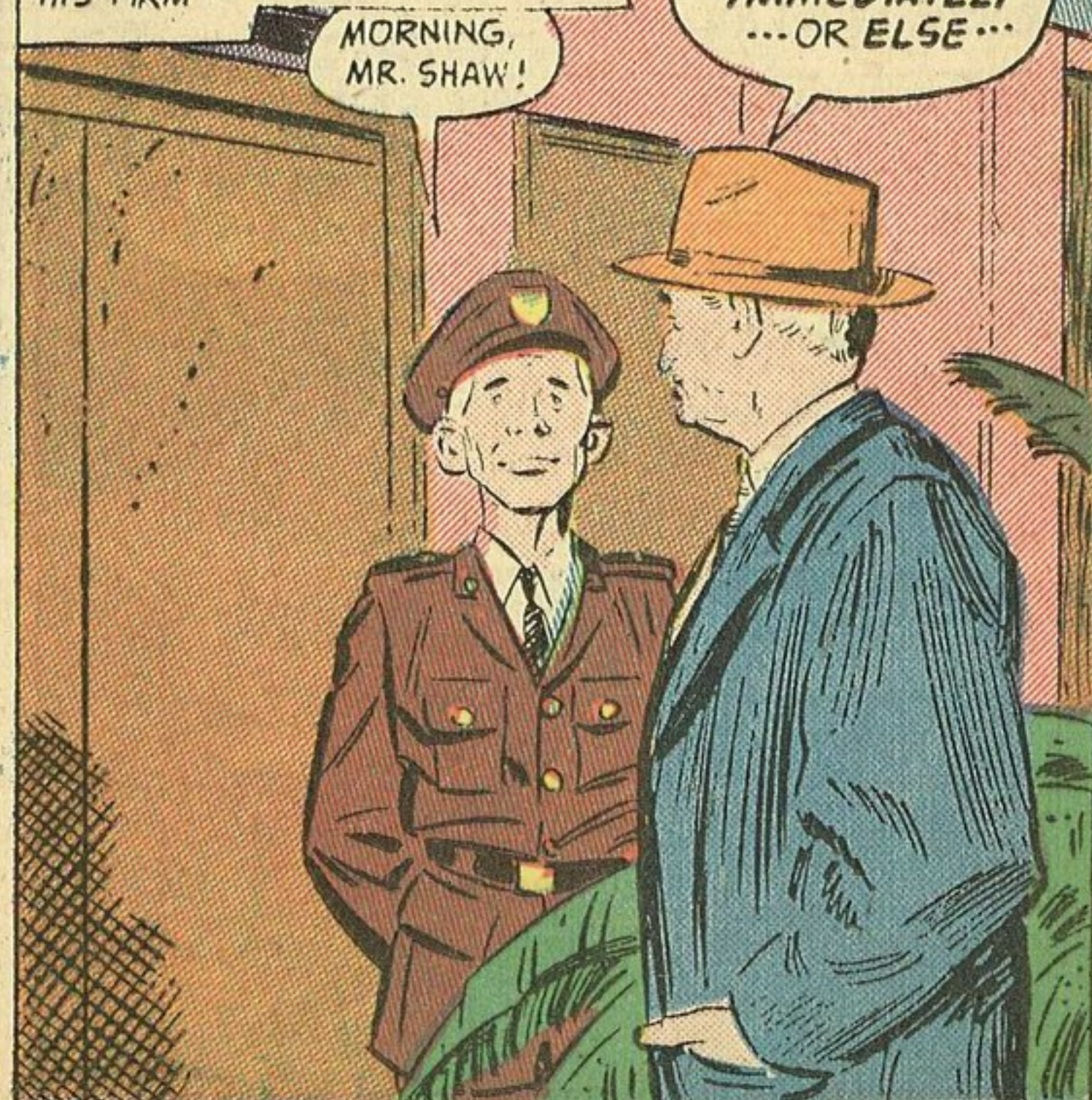
IT STARTED AS AN ORDINARY MORNING IN SHAW'S MANSION, EXCEPT THAT HE APPEARED UNUSUALLY CHEERY...



YOU SEEM IN GOOD SPIRITS THIS MORNING, SIR!

I AM, SMITHERS... I **AM!** TODAY'S THE DAY I TAKE OVER **COMPLETE CONTROL!**

AFTER THE USUAL HOUR'S DRIVE INTO THE CITY, HE ARRIVED AT THE GREAT BUILDING WHICH HOUSED HIS FIRM...



MORNING, MR. SHAW!

THIS LOBBY LOOKS LIKE A **PIGSTY!** HAVE IT CLEANED **IMMEDIATELY** ...OR ELSE...

AS HE ENTERED HIS OFFICE, HIS CRITICAL EYES SWEEP ABOUT LIKE A MACHINE GUNNER SCRUTINIZING HOSTILE TERRAIN...

DRINKING COFFEE, MISS QUARLES? ON THE FIRM'S TIME?

S-SORRY, MR. SHAW!

ONCE AT HIS DESK, HE SWUNG INTO ACTION! HE SUMMONED HIS LONGTIME BUSINESS PARTNER, GEORGE DEASY, FOR AN IMMEDIATE CONFERENCE...

YOU WANT TO SEE ME, JOHN?

THAT'S RIGHT, GEORGE... FOR THE LAST TIME!

FIVE MINUTES LATER, DEASY WAS A STUNNED AND BROKEN MAN...

I'VE BEEN QUIETLY BUYING UP THE ORGANIZATION'S OUTSTANDING STOCK AND NOW I'VE GOT 51%... GIVING ME CONTROL! YOU'RE THROUGH, GEORGE... WASHED UP!

YOU... YOU CAN'T DO THIS TO ME... YOU MUSTN'T!

FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE, MAN, HAVEN'T I ALWAYS BEEN A LOYAL PARTNER? WHY DO YOU WANT TO RUIN ME?

I'M NOT THE SORT OF MAN TO BE MOVED BY SENTIMENT, GEORGE! I'M GIVING YOU 48 HOURS TO CLEAR OUT!

SHAW ENJOYED THE LUXURY OF A FINE CIGAR, THEN PROCEEDED WITH HIS MORNING'S WORK...

SEND IN PERKINS... THAT IS, IF HE'S COME IN YET!

IMMEDIATELY, SIR!

PERKINS, THE CHIEF ACCOUNTANT, ALWAYS CRINGED IN THE PRESENCE OF THE BIG BOSS...

YOU'VE BEEN LATE TWICE THIS MONTH, PERKINS! YOU'VE CONVINCED ME THAT YOU DON'T LIKE YOUR JOB! SO I'LL OBLIGE YOU BY...

NO! PLEASE, MR. SHAW! MY WIFE HAS BEEN ILL... I-I'VE HAD TO SEE TO GETTING THE CHILDREN OFF TO SCHOOL...

I'M NOT INTERESTED IN YOUR PERSONAL LIFE, PERKINS! YOU'RE FIRED!

MR. SHAW! MR. SHAW! PLEASE DON'T DO THIS!

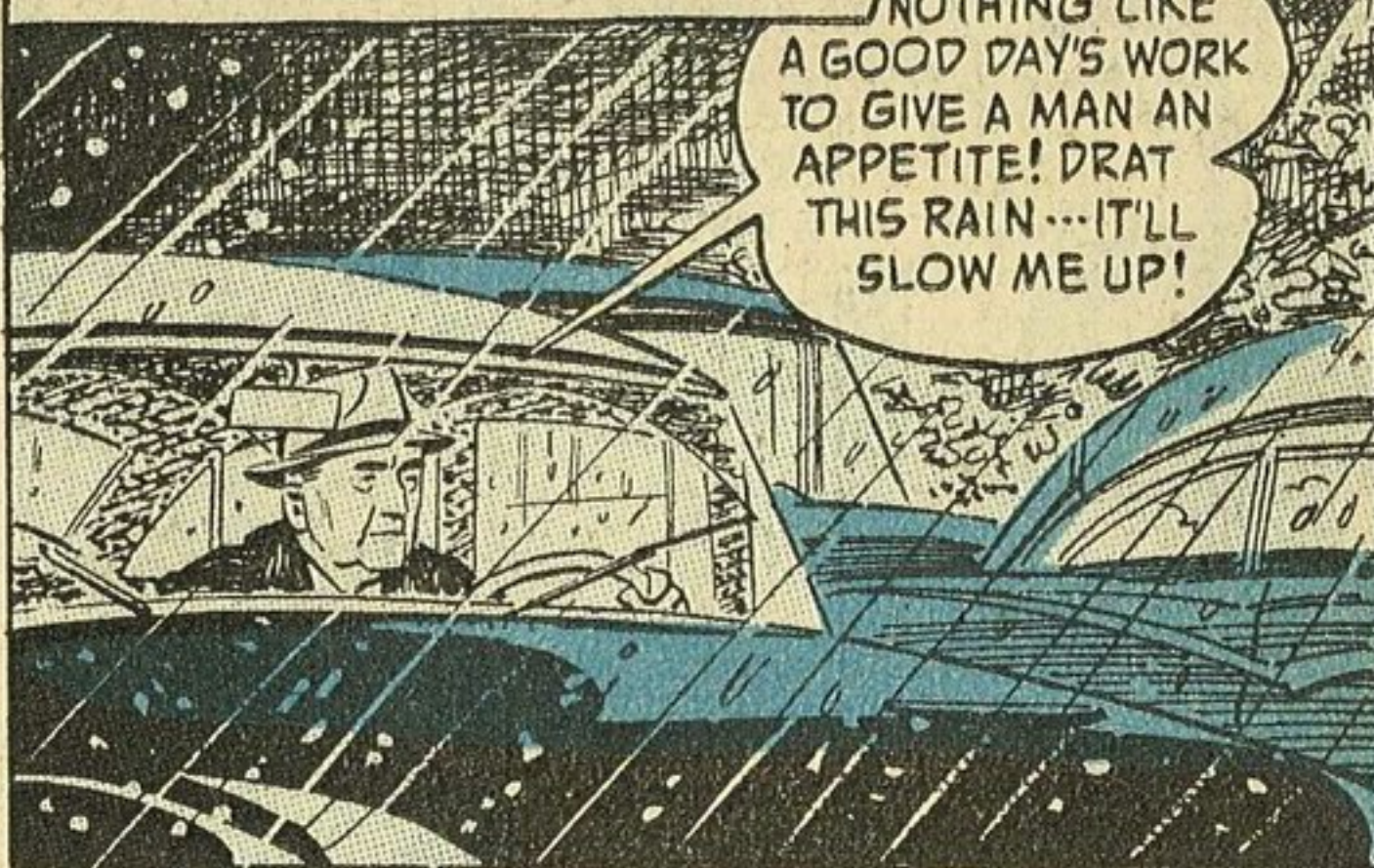
BRIMMING WITH ENERGY AND SELF-SATISFACTION, THE FINANCIER WORKED A LITTLE LATER THAN USUAL THAT NIGHT...



WILL THAT BE ALL, SIR?

JUST TWO THINGS MORE! HAVE MY CAR SENT AROUND...AND DON'T LET ME CATCH YOU DRINKING COFFEE IN THE MORNING!

HE WAS ALREADY SOMEWHAT HUNGRY AS HE STARTED THE HOUR'S DRIVE BACK TO HIS MANSION...



NOTHING LIKE A GOOD DAY'S WORK TO GIVE A MAN AN APPETITE! DRAT THIS RAIN...IT'LL SLOW ME UP!

SHAW DROVE...AND DROVE...AND DROVE! HE SAW NOTHING...NOT A CAR...NOT A HOUSE...NOT A LIGHT...



GREAT SCOTT, IT'S 10 O'CLOCK ALREADY...AND I'M STARVING!

TO HIS VAST ANNOYANCE, ANOTHER DELAYING FACTOR SOON APPEARED...



BLAZES! NO TELLING HOW FAR THIS'LL TAKE ME OUT OF MY WAY! STRANGE, I NEVER EVEN NOTICED THERE WAS A SIDE ROAD HERE BEFORE!

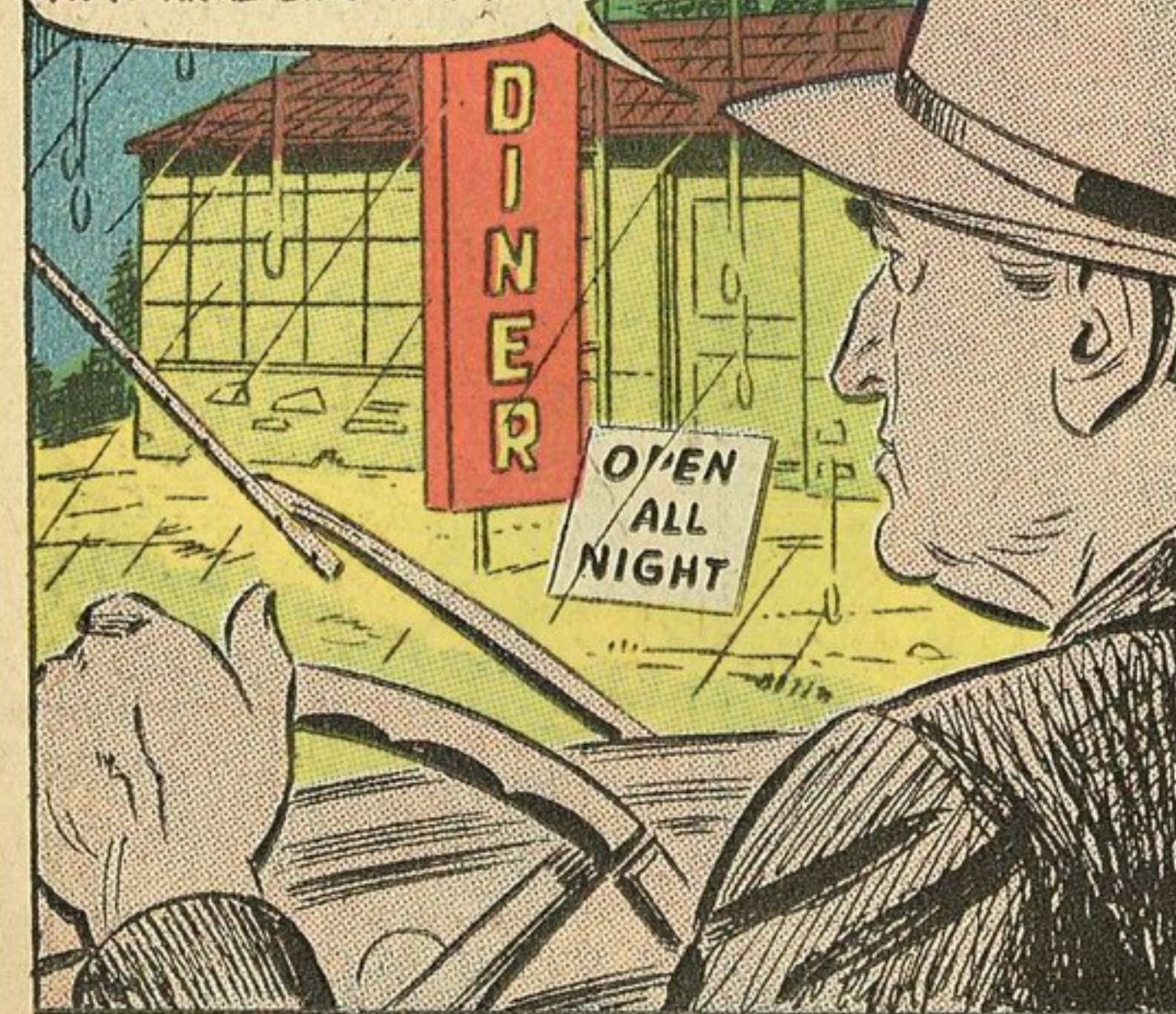
GRUMBLING TO HIMSELF, SHAW PULLED IN! IT LOOKED LIKE AN ORDINARY DINER, BUT AS HE ENTERED...



A GROUP LIKE THAT IN A DUMP LIKE THIS? WHY, THEY'RE DRINKING CHAMPAGNE!

THE ROAD, GUTTED AND FULL OF HOLES, MADE DRIVING DIFFICULT! HE WAS HUNGRY AND TIRED WHEN HE SAW THE SIGN...

FUNNY SPOT FOR A DINER... IN THIS FORSAKEN PLACE! GUESS THE FOOD WILL BE ATROCIOUS, BUT A MAN CAN'T BE CHOOSY AT A TIME LIKE THIS!



THE MOMENT HE SAT DOWN, A WAITRESS APPEARED...



WE HAVE NO **MENU** HERE! WE'LL PREPARE ANYTHING YOU ORDER... IF YOU CAN **PAY** FOR IT!

IF I CAN PAY FOR IT...! HA-HA! **THAT'S** A LAUGH! WELL, SUPPOSE WE START WITH **PATÉ DE FOIS GRAS**...

HE ORDERED A SUMPTUOUS MEAL, AMAZED THAT SUCH A PLACE COULD POSSIBLY PROVIDE IT! AS THE WAITRESS LEFT, SHAW NOTICED **TWO** REMARKABLE THINGS...



CURIOUS, I COULD **SWEAR** I'VE SEEN THAT GIRL SOMEWHERE BEFORE! SAY, THAT ELEGANTLY-DRESSED PARTY... **THEY'RE GONE!**

HARDLY ENOUGH TIME HAD PASSED FOR HIM TO REGISTER AMAZEMENT WHEN...



HERE YOU ARE, SIR... EVERYTHING'S READY! I TRUST THE SERVICE IS **SATISFACTORY!**

SATISFACTORY? GREAT HEAVENS, WOMAN, IT'S **IMPOSSIBLE** TO PREPARE A MEAL SO QUICKLY!

THE COOKING WAS SHEER PERFECTION...



SUPERB! TELL ME, MISS... THERE WAS A GROUP HERE A MOMENT AGO... AND... NOW THEY'RE **GONE!** THEY **COULDN'T** HAVE LEFT WITHOUT MY NOTICING, AND...

I'M HERE TO **WAIT** ON YOU... NOT ANSWER **QUESTIONS!**

IMMEDIATELY UPON COMPLETING HIS DINNER, HE CALLED FOR THE CHECK...



HMMM, RATHER **STEEP!** BUT FAIR ENOUGH... THE PHEASANT WAS **EXCELLENT!**

HE OPENED HIS NORMALLY BULGING WALLET...



WHAT THE...? IT'S **EMPTY!** BUT... I ALWAYS CARRY SEVERAL HUNDRED DOLLARS WITH ME!

DO I UNDERSTAND THAT YOU **CAN'T PAY** FOR YOUR MEAL, SIR?

THE OWNER OF THE DINER CAME RUNNING OUT OF THE KITCHEN, LIVID WITH RAGE...



A **WISE** GUY, EH? ORDERS A BIG MEAL AND CAN'T **PAY** FOR IT! OKAY, BUDDY, YOU'LL **WORK** IT OFF... **IN THE KITCHEN!**

THIS IS **ABSURD!** IF YOU'LL ONLY ALLOW ME TO MAKE A PHONE CALL...

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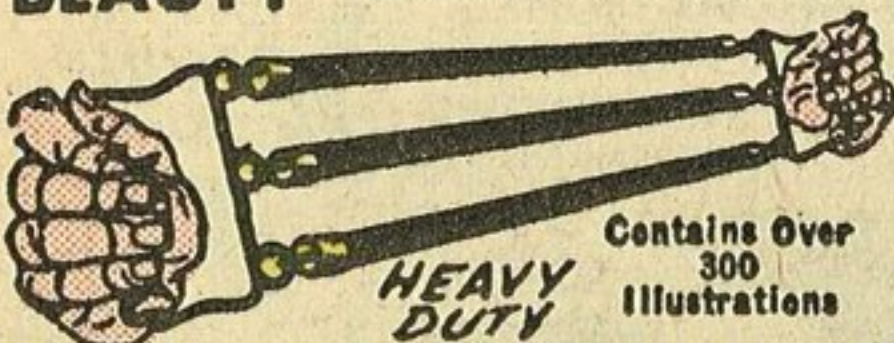
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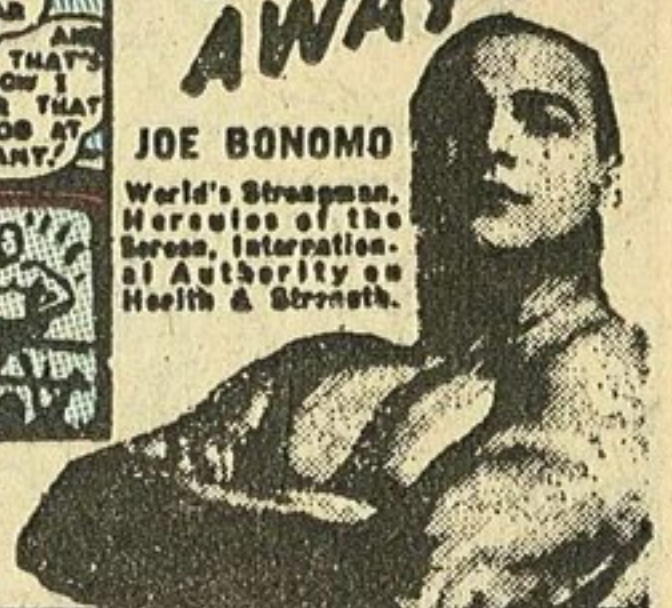
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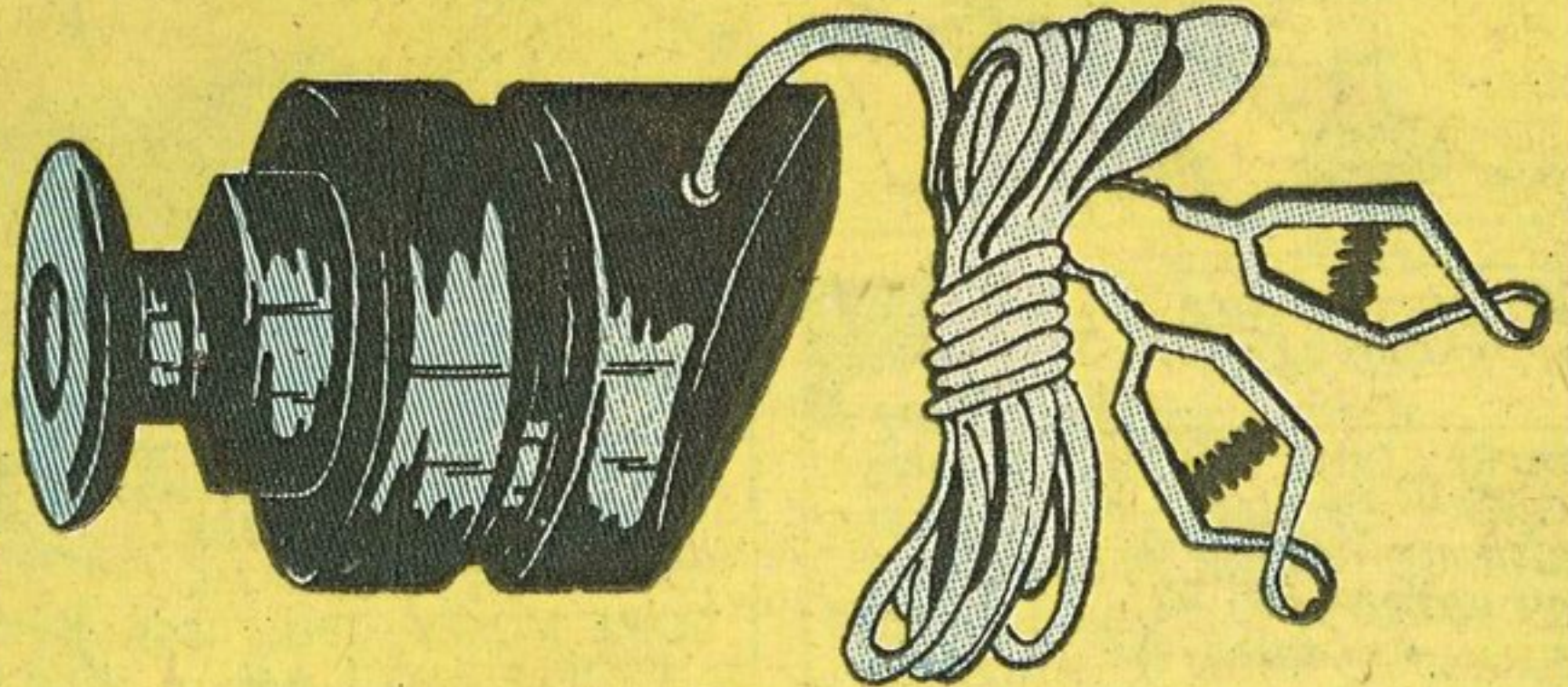
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HIS BRAIN REELING WITH CONFUSION AND DISMAY, SHAW THOUGHT HIS EYES WERE PLAYING TRICKS ON HIM WHEN...



FOR HOURS THE GREAT JOHN SHAW WORKED LIKE A SLAVE... DRIVEN MERCILESSLY BY THE COOK...



HE WAS NEARLY DROPPING WITH FATIGUE... TIME SEEMED TO LOSE ALL MEANING...



WHEN THE OWNER AT LAST APPEARED AGAIN...

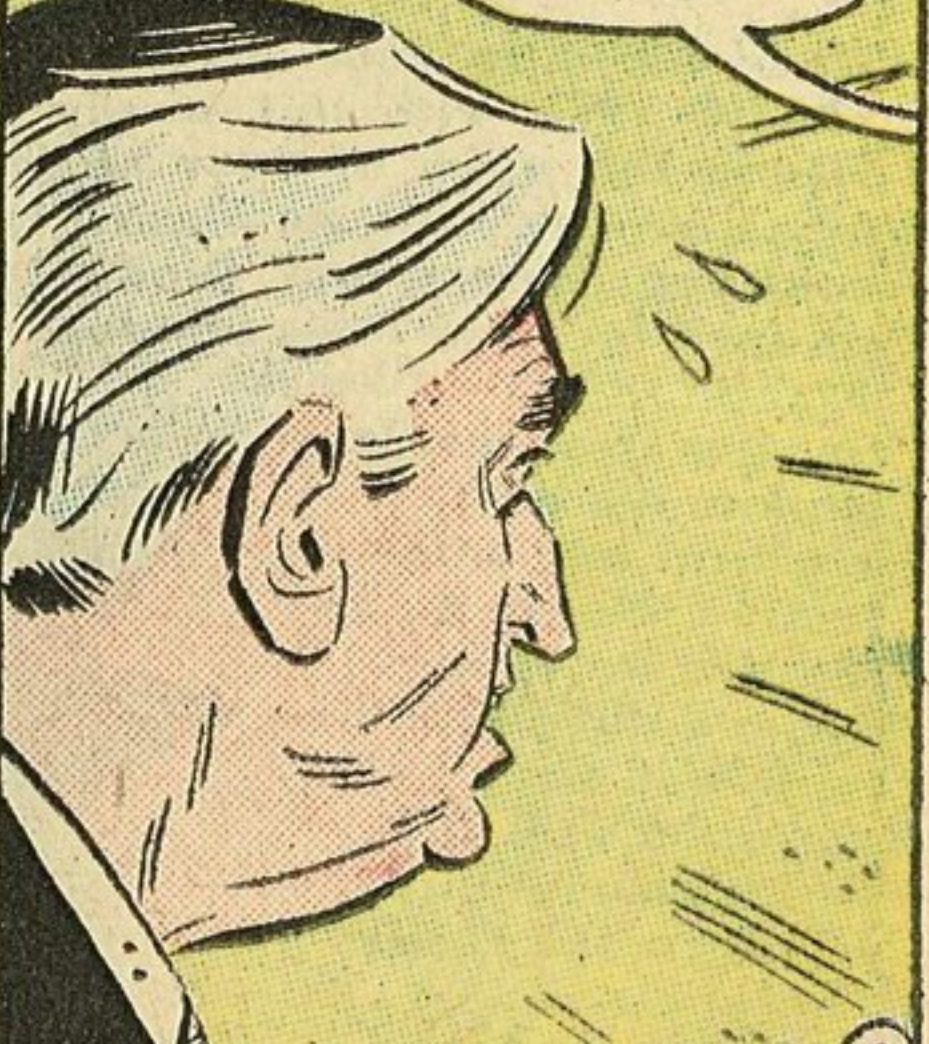


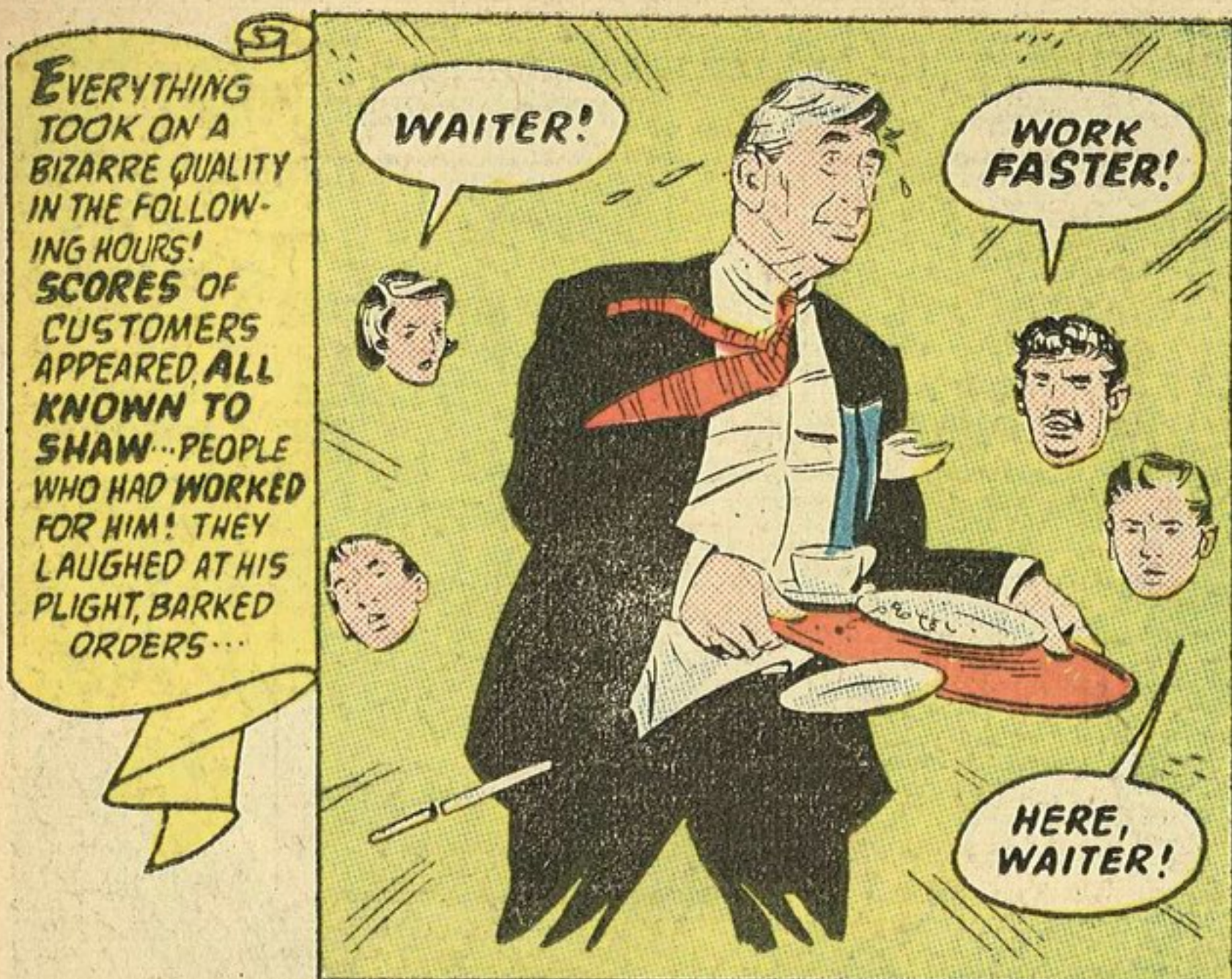
IT SEEMED TOO GOOD TO BELIEVE... FOR THE CUSTOMER WAS...



P-PERKINS! YOU CAN'T **DO** THIS TO ME! FORGET WHAT I SAID THIS AFTERNOON! YOU CAN HAVE A **RAISE!**

IT'S TOO LATE, **MR. SHAW!** NOW GET BUSY OR I'LL ENTER A **COMPLAINT** AGAINST YOU!





EVERYTHING TOOK ON A BIZARRE QUALITY IN THE FOLLOWING HOURS! SCORES OF CUSTOMERS APPEARED, ALL KNOWN TO SHAW...PEOPLE WHO HAD WORKED FOR HIM! THEY LAUGHED AT HIS PLIGHT, BARKED ORDERS...

WAITER!

WORK FASTER!

HERE, WAITER!



HE REASONED THAT IT WAS ALL SOME MONSTROUS HOAX, AND THE ONLY THING THAT KEPT HIM GOING WAS THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE REVENGE TO COME! RETURNING TO THE KITCHEN WITH ANOTHER ORDER...

QUEER...I DIDN'T NOTICE THIS DOOR BEFORE! I'LL MAKE A BREAK FOR IT!



HE REACHED HIS CAR JUST IN TIME...

WAIT! STOP! YOU HAVEN'T WORKED OFF YOUR DEBT!

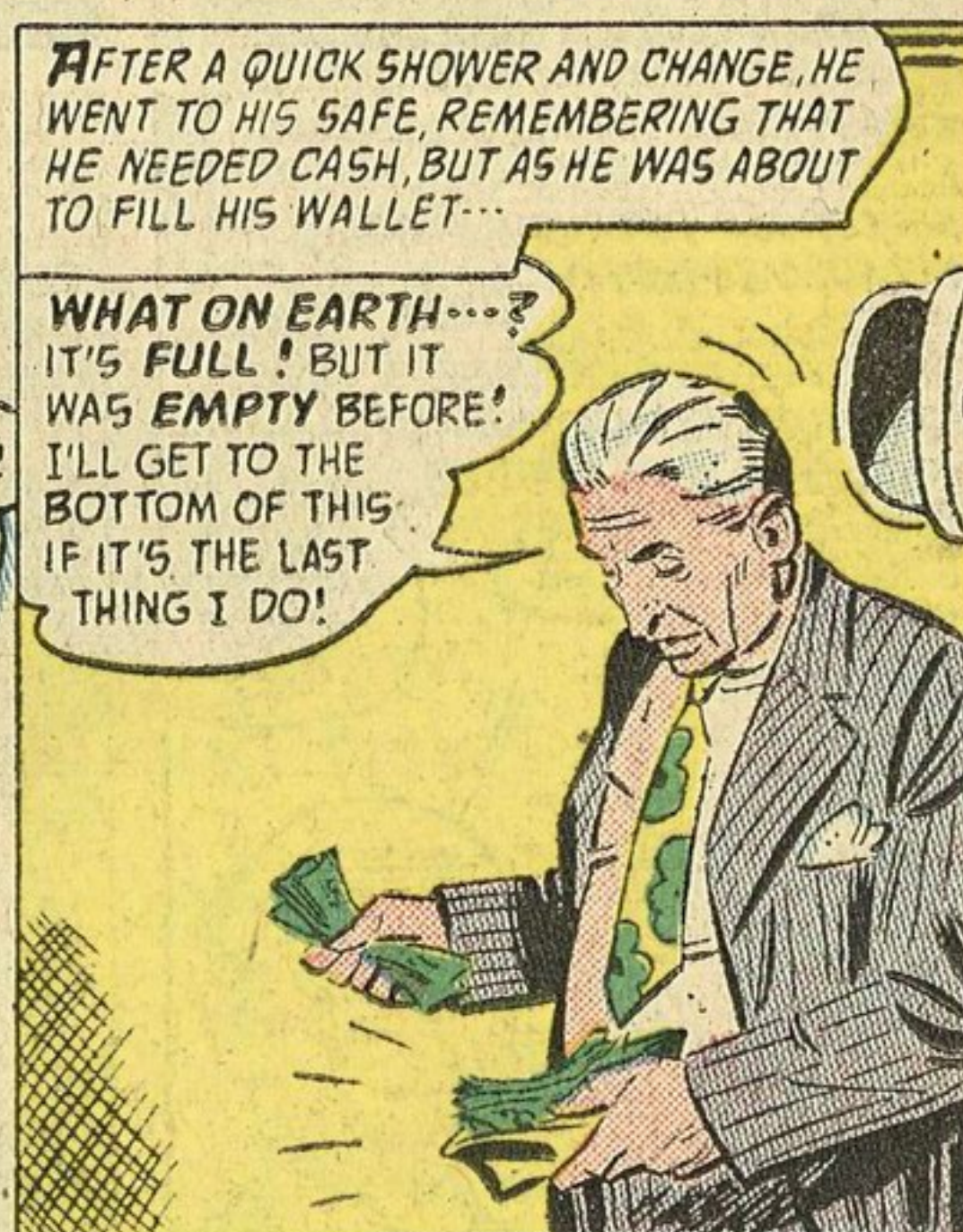
THEY'LL PAY... OH, HOW THEY'LL PAY! ALL OF THEM!



HE DROVE WILDLY, AT LAST REGAINED THE HIGHWAY, AND SHORTLY AFTER DAWN ARRIVED MORE DEAD THAN ALIVE AT HIS HOME...

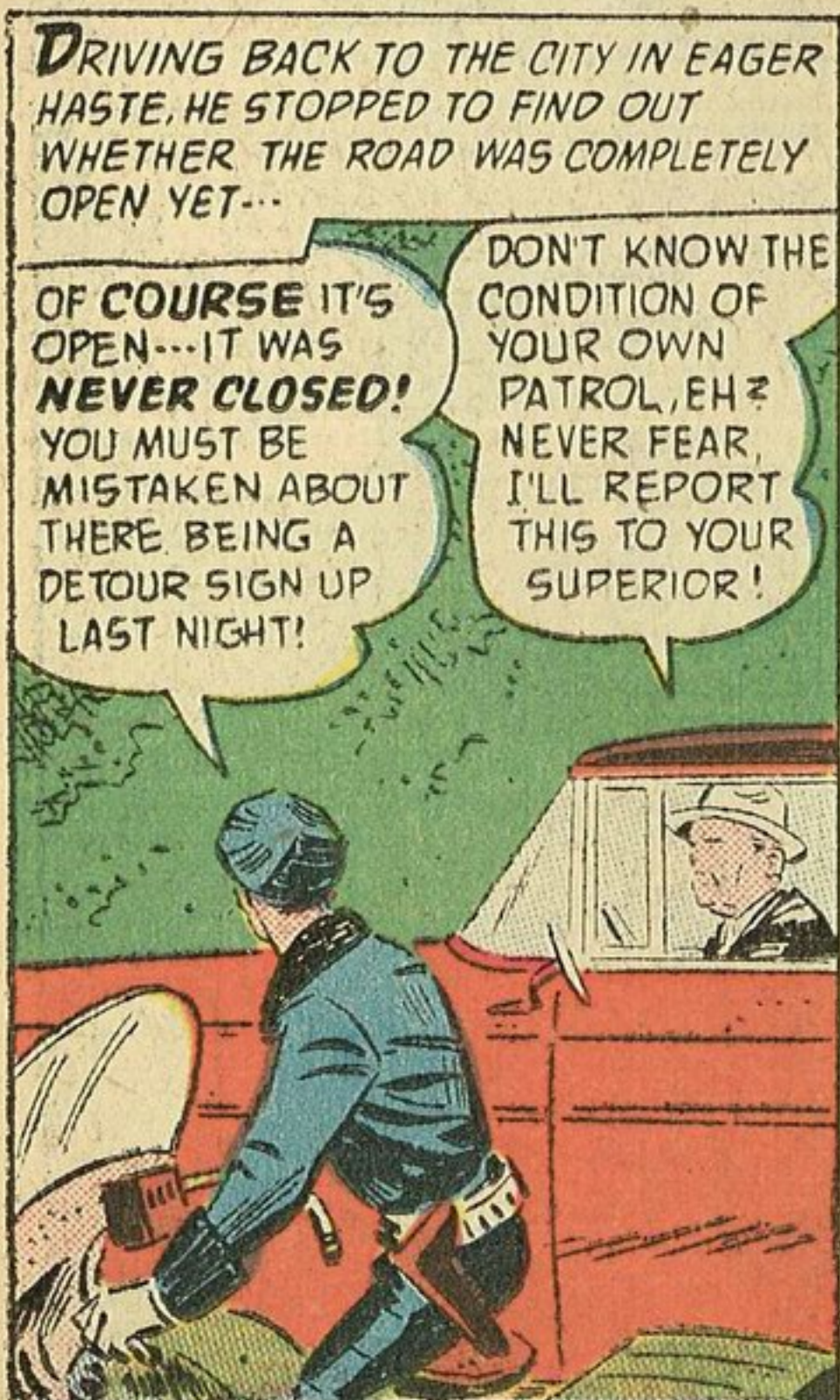
MR. SHAW! WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?

NEVER MIND THAT! JUST LAY OUT A FRESH SUIT OF CLOTHES! I'VE GOT WORK TO DO TODAY... PLENTY OF WORK!



AFTER A QUICK SHOWER AND CHANGE, HE WENT TO HIS SAFE, REMEMBERING THAT HE NEEDED CASH, BUT AS HE WAS ABOUT TO FILL HIS WALLET...

WHAT ON EARTH...? IT'S FULL! BUT IT WAS EMPTY BEFORE! I'LL GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS IF IT'S THE LAST THING I DO!



DRIVING BACK TO THE CITY IN EAGER HASTE, HE STOPPED TO FIND OUT WHETHER THE ROAD WAS COMPLETELY OPEN YET...

OF COURSE IT'S OPEN...IT WAS NEVER CLOSED! YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN ABOUT THERE BEING A DETOUR SIGN UP LAST NIGHT!

DON'T KNOW THE CONDITION OF YOUR OWN PATROL, EH? NEVER FEAR, I'LL REPORT THIS TO YOUR SUPERIOR!



ENRAGED, SHAW DROVE DOWN THE RUTTED SIDE ROAD TO INVESTIGATE! AT LENGTH HE CAME UPON THE REMAINS OF WHAT ONCE HAD BEEN A COUNTRY DINER...

GREAT SCOTT... IT'S THE SAME PLACE AS LAST NIGHT...BUT IT OBVIOUSLY HASN'T BEEN OPEN IN YEARS!



INCREASINGLY BAFFLED, AND BEGINNING TO WONDER ABOUT HIS SANITY, SHAW FINALLY REACHED THE CITY...

MORNING, MR. SHAW!

THE COOK! HE LOOKS JUST LIKE THE COOK! I... I'VE GOT TO THINK THIS OUT!



OUT of the UNKNOWN!

NO!...
CREATURE FROM THE CRATER



THE OFFICE OF THE CURATOR OF THE GEOLOGIC MUSEUM...

IT'S SETTLED, THEN... OUR EXPEDITION WILL SET OUT ON JULY 16TH!

I STILL SAY THE WHOLE PROJECT'S RIDICULOUS! THE VERY **IDEA**... INVESTIGATING STORIES OF STRANGE CREATURES SAID TO HAVE ONCE LIVED INSIDE THE **KOLARI VOLCANO**!



THE VOLCANO, EXTINCT FOR CENTURIES, LAY IN THE HEART OF THE SUMATRAN JUNGLE! THERE... AN AMAZING DISCOVERY!

THAT FOOTPRINT... IT'S COMING OUT OF THE CRATER!

IT'S GIGANTIC... AND LOOKS ALMOST **HUMAN**! IT MUST HAVE BEEN MADE CENTURIES AGO, WHEN THE VOLCANO LAST ERUPTED... BY SOME CREATURE ABLE TO WALK IN **MOLTEN LAVA**!



AT ONCE, THEY COMMENCED DIGGING NEARBY...

I DON'T BELIEVE THAT FOOTPRINT... AND I THINK THAT EXCAVATING IS A WASTE OF TIME!

THOSE STONES WE FOUND AT THIS SPOT LOOK CARVED... AS IF THEY'D ONCE BEEN USED AS **IMPLEMENTS** OF SOME SORT! IT WON'T HURT DIGGING DOWN JUST A **LITTLE**!



IT WAS THEN THAT THEY MADE THEIR FIND...

BONES... OF SOMEONE... OR SOMETHING...

LET'S BRING THEM BACK TO CAMP AND CHECK ON THEM!



THE CURATOR MADE A THOROUGH EXAMINATION... AND REPORTED...

YOU'D HAVE TO SAY IT'S A HUMAN SKULL... **BUT NOT LIKE ANY HUMAN SKULL KNOWN!**



BUT ONE FINAL TEST REMAINED...

THE BONE HASN'T PETRIFIED, BUT IT'S COMPLETELY **IMPERVIOUS TO FIRE**! WHICH IS JUST ABOUT WHAT YOU MIGHT EXPECT FROM A CREATURE THAT **LIVED IN THE DEPTHS OF A FIERY VOLCANO**!



DID SUCH A CREATURE REALLY EXIST? WHAT DO YOU THINK, READER?

THE END!



WELL, friends...how do you like this editor's page since we made it your arena...the battleground where readers of "Adventures Into The Unknown" from every quarter of the globe could get together and air their opinions! Or do you prefer the old format, where

we discussed matters of general editorial interest? We want to know your stand... know every opinion you hold with regard to our magazine! Address your letter to The Editor, "Adventures Into The Unknown", 45 West 45th Street, New York 36, N.Y. And now for some other opinions!

"Dear Editor:-

I'm a great fan of your magazine, 'Adventures Into The Unknown'. It's the only kind of comic I like and the best on the stands...so keep them coming! A very happy fan...

...Larry Wooldridge, Nurnburg, Germany"

We appreciate your vote of confidence, Larry! We'll try to justify it by continuing to bring the best stories available in the "strange" market!

"Dear Editor:-

I believe that you'll increase your readership if you make the covers of 'Adventures Into The Unknown' more restrained. This will add to the suspense and make people curious to see what's inside! And now about stories. I think it would be great, nice, wonderful to have one, please just one vampire or werewolf story. I'm sure many, many people feel as I do!

...Peter Manieri, New York, N.Y."

You may be right about the covers...we'll most certainly take your suggestion to heart! Just keep in mind, however, that restraint in itself doesn't make for suspense...the subject-matter's got to be there! But vampire or werewolf stories... sorry! The Comics Code Authority, to which we subscribe wholeheartedly, doesn't approve of them, and neither do we. Stories can be strange, fascinating, thrilling, without resorting to the stale plots that are inevitable in vampire or werewolf themes.

"Dear Editor:-

I get many weird story magazines, but I've never read one as thrilling as 'Adventures Into The Unknown'. But the difficulty is that it's hard to get in England. Could you send me this exciting magazine...and do you take British money?

...Gerald Smith, Carlisle, England"

We generally don't take foreign monies, Gerald...but we do want you to receive our publication, since you're so sold on it! Therefore, we'd suggest that you ask any American soldier...there are many stationed in England, and most of them are 'Unknown' fans. We're sure they'd be glad to help out!

"Dear Editor:-

For a long time, I've been looking for a good mystery comic to read. I've tried them all...and the one I like best is 'Adventures Into The Unknown'. I enjoy your stories so much that I always reread them. Particularly, I went for 'The Actor' in your No. 67 issue. Actually, I'd like to thank all the people who worked hard on your fine stories for our enjoyment and entertainment. Incidentally, your 'Let's Talk It Over' page is a nice idea, and I hope you'll keep it up. In conclusion, I myself never cared for the zombie stuff, which was never realistic, and I'm glad you don't go in for it!

...Judy Yates, Red Oak, Iowa"

Nice hearing from you, Judy, and learning your opinions. And we're especially glad you approve of this page!

"Dear Editor:-

I read 'Adventures Into The Unknown' steadily and like it...but I've got reservations! I don't like this business of your never finishing your stories. For instance, there was 'Final Accounting' and 'Time Visitor'. Let's hear what you've got to say about this!

...Jim Morton, Bay View, Mich."

What's this business about not finishing stories? Must we say "They lived happily ever after"? Both of those yarns possessed a definite plot brought to a logical conclusion. We do like to finish on a challenging note, which we did in these two cases, but most fans like this. What do you think, reader?

THROUGH ^{the} AMNESIA BARRIER!

LIFE ON MARS?
UNLESS YOU'VE BEEN
THERE, HOW CAN YOU
BE SURE?

I---I KNOW IT
SOUNDS CRAZY
...BUT MAYBE I
HAVE BEEN
THERE!

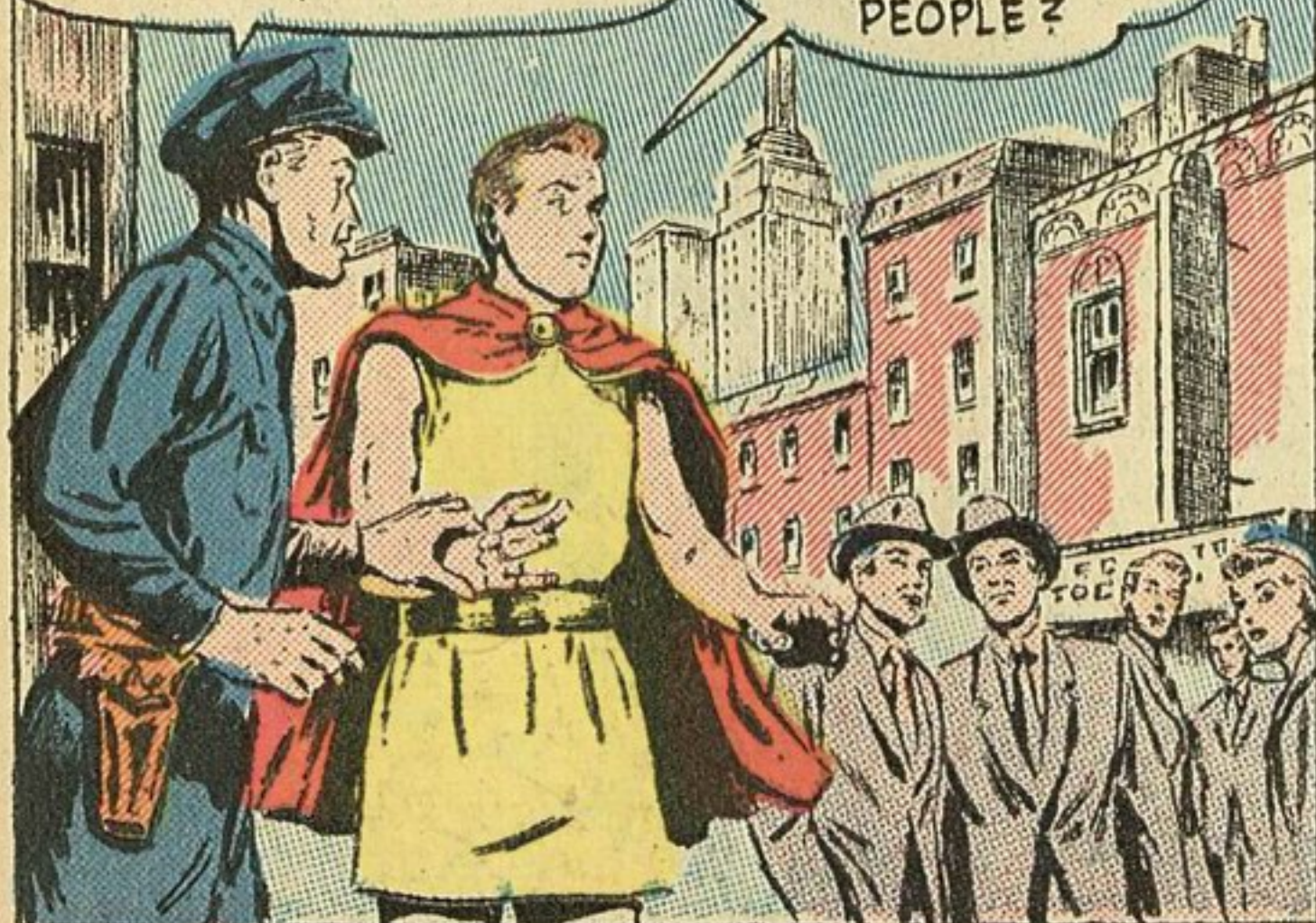
THE MOST COMPLEX STRUCTURE IN ALL OF
NATURE IS THE HUMAN BRAIN! FOR
INSTANCE, WHO KNOWS WHAT SECRETS LIE
BEHIND THE DARK VEIL OF LOST MEMORY?
WAS DR. WINTERS' THEORY RIGHT...OR WAS HE
MERELY CLOSE TO THE UNBELIEVABLE TRUTH?



IT WAS HIGH NOON IN THE STREETS OF NEW YORK
WHEN THE STRANGELY-DRESSED MAN WAS FIRST
NOTICED! HIS GLAZED EXPRESSION AND DAZED EYES
SUGGESTED SERIOUS MENTAL DERANGEMENT---

WHAT'S THE OUTFIT FOR,
BUD... A MASQUERADE?

WH-WHERE AM I?
WHO...ARE...THESE
PEOPLE?



THE HELPLESS MAN WAS TAKEN TO A CITY HOSPITAL,
EXAMINED MINUTELY---

LOOKS LIKE AMNESIA, ALL
RIGHT! NO IDENTIFICATION...
COULDN'T TELL US A THING!

MAYBE WE'LL GET
MORE OUT OF HIM
WHEN THE SEDATIVE
WEARS OFF!



THE STRANGER'S CONDITION IMPROVED, BUT HIS MEMORY WAS A COMPLETE BLANK...

I... I'M SORRY... I CAN TELL YOU NOTHING! NOT ONLY THE **PAST** IS EMPTY... BUT I DON'T EVEN RECOGNIZE THE **PRESENT**!

PECULIAR! I THINK WE CAN INTEREST **DR. WINTERS** IN YOUR CASE!



DR. HARLOW WINTERS, THE FAMED NEUROLOGIST, HAD RETIRED FROM ACTIVE PRACTICE YEARS BEFORE TO DEVOTE HIMSELF COMPLETELY TO RESEARCH...

I WOULDN'T BOTHER YOU, SIR... EXCEPT FOR YOUR KNOWN INTEREST IN **TOTAL AMNESIA**! WON'T YOU AT LEAST **EXAMINE** THE PATIENT?

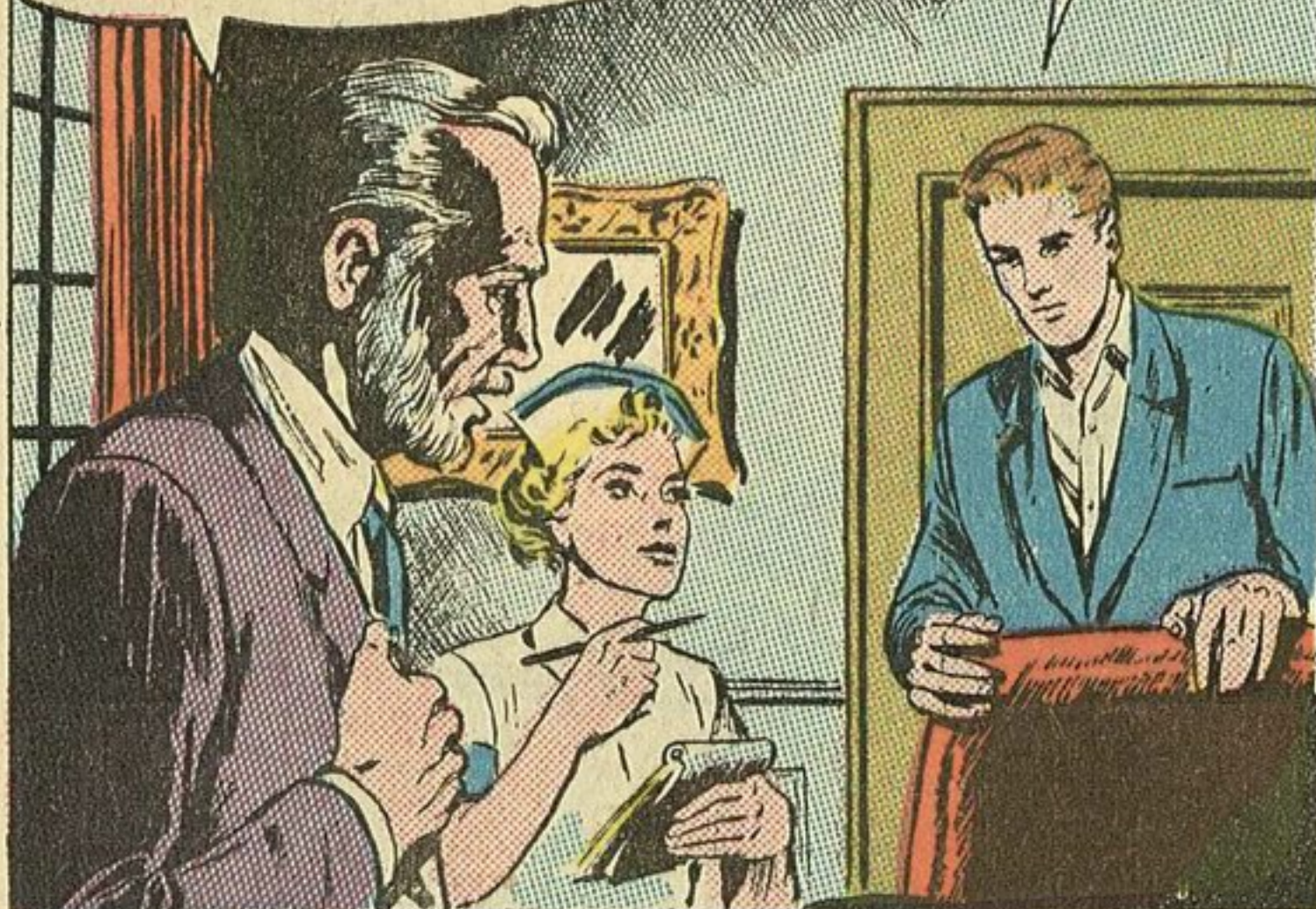
FROM WHAT YOU'VE ALREADY TOLD ME, I'M QUITE **ANXIOUS** TO!



AT THEIR FIRST MEETING...

SINCE YOU DON'T RECALL YOUR NAME, WE'LL CALL YOU **SMITH**! MISS ROGERS WILL TAKE NOTES ON THE CONVERSATION...

SMITH? THAT'S A FUNNY NAME... NEVER HEARD IT BEFORE!



NEVER HEARD THE NAME **SMITH**? EXTRAORDINARY! TELL ME, HAVE YOU **ANY** IDEA WHERE YOU CAME FROM?

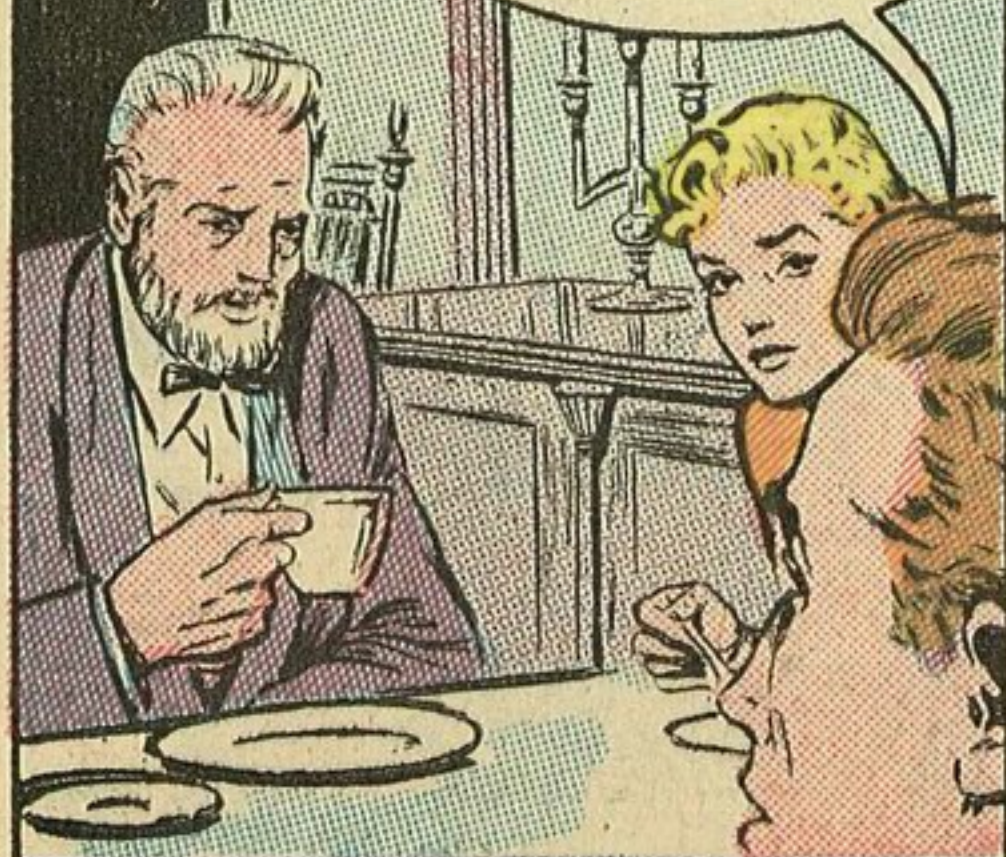
IT MUST BE SOMEWHERE QUITE UNLIKE **HERE**... BECAUSE THE BUILDINGS... THE WAY PEOPLE DRESS... IT'S ALL SO **STRANGE**!



THAT NIGHT...

I'VE ARRANGED FOR YOU TO SPEND THE NEXT FEW WEEKS WITH ME, **SMITH**... SO I CAN OBSERVE YOU! ANY OBJECTIONS?

NONE! THE QUICKER I'M CURED, THE BETTER!



DR. WINTERS AND THE NURSE DISCUSSED THE CASE TILL PAST MIDNIGHT...

I'VE NEVER SEEN AMNESIA LIKE HIS!

I HAVE... **TWICE**! UNFORTUNATELY, BOTH PATIENTS MYSTERIOUSLY **DISAPPEARED**... WITHOUT A TRACE EVER FOUND OF THEM!



YOU'RE THE WORLD'S FOREMOST AUTHORITY ON AMNESIA, DOCTOR... SURELY YOU HAVE **SOME** THEORIES!

I HAVE **SEVERAL**, ALICE! BUT I'M RELUCTANT TO SPEAK OF THEM YET... I'M AFRAID YOU'D THINK ME **MAD**!



WHEN ALICE AROSE NEXT MORNING, SHE STROLLED TO THE WINDOW, AS WAS HER HABIT! TO HER SHOCK...

NO! DON'T DO IT, SMITH! DON'T!

BUT HER SHOUT WAS TOO LATE, FOR THE PATIENT HAD ALREADY JUMPED...

OH, NO... NO!

HER SHRIEK HAD CARRIED THROUGH THE HOUSE, AND AS SHE RACED BELOW...

GOOD HEAVENS, WHAT'S HAPPENED?

SMITH! HE... HE JUMPED OUT THE WINDOW!

DOWNSTAIRS...

YOU... YOU'RE ALL RIGHT? MAYBE I'M GOING CRAZY! DIDN'T I SEE YOU JUMP?

IT WAS THE QUICKEST WAY TO GET DOWN! WHY... DID I DO SOMETHING **WRONG**?

CALM YOURSELF, ALICE... OUR FRIEND HERE IS OBVIOUSLY QUITE AN ATHLETE!

WHY ARE YOU BOTH SO SURPRISED? I WASN'T MORE THAN 30 FEET UP!

AN ORDINARY MAN WOULD HAVE BROKEN BOTH FEET... OR WORSE! AMNESIA VICTIMS DON'T DO THINGS LIKE THAT, DOCTOR... UNLESS THEY'RE ALSO **CRAZY**!

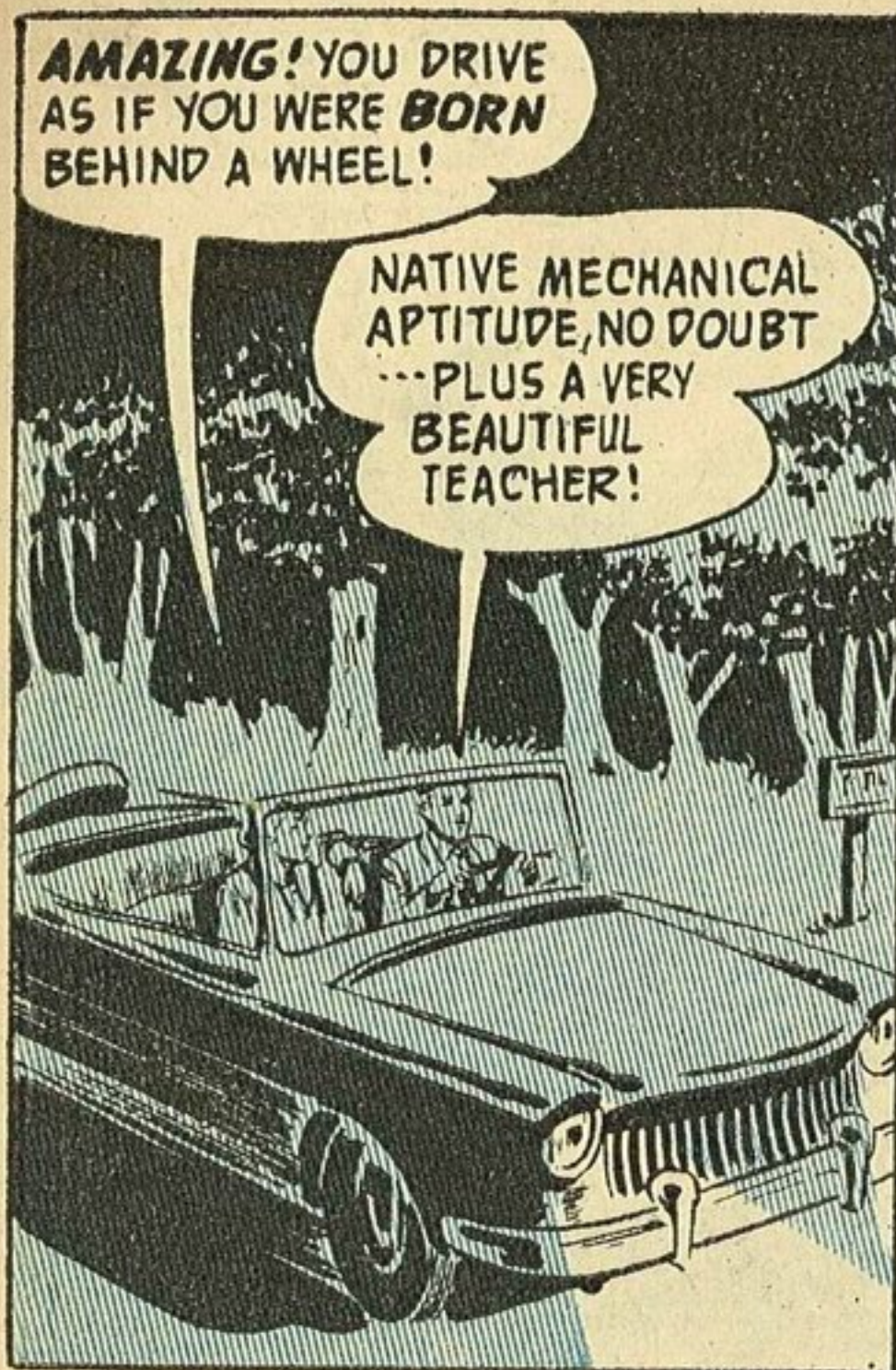
BUT SMITH SEEMS QUITE SANE! THE TIME HAS COME TO MAKE SOME **TESTS**!

IN THE ENSUING HOURS, SMITH WAS ASKED SCORES OF QUESTIONS...

LET'S SEE NOW... YOU NEVER HEARD OF HENRY FORD OR BABE RUTH, BUT YOU HAVE A **DIM** RECOLLECTION OF WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN! EVER HEAR OF **ALBERT EINSTEIN**?

NATURALLY! HE WAS THE AUTHOR OF AN INTERESTING, THOUGH **CRUDE** THEORY OF RELATIVITY!





AMAZING! YOU DRIVE AS IF YOU WERE **BORN** BEHIND A WHEEL!

NATIVE MECHANICAL APTITUDE, NO DOUBT... PLUS A VERY BEAUTIFUL TEACHER!



IT WASN'T LONG BEFORE A ROMANCE HAD DEVELOPED BETWEEN THE TWO YOUNG PEOPLE...

NOW, NOW... WE MUSTN'T WASTE TIME DURING OUR **WORKING** HOURS!



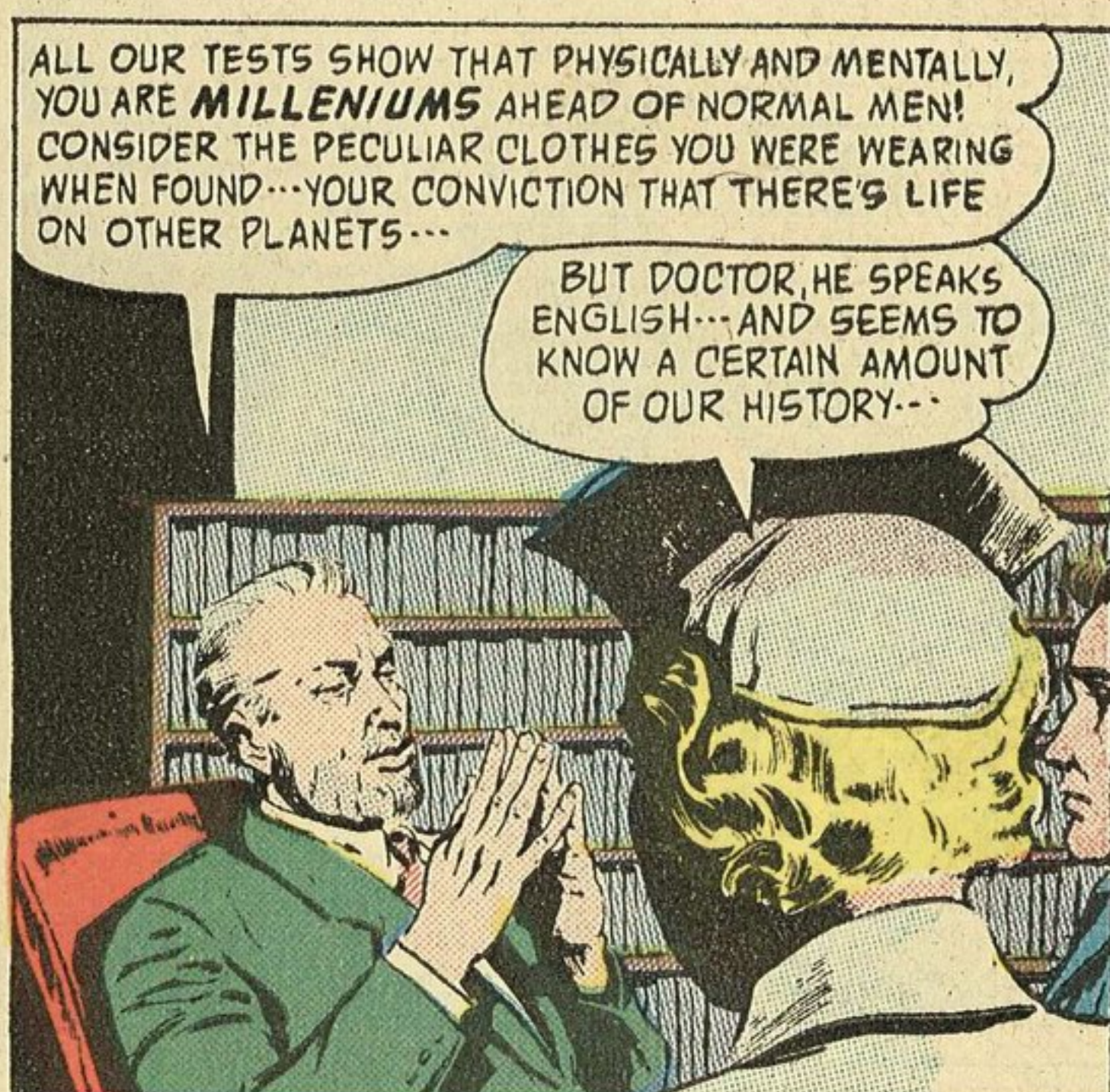
WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO? WE **LOVE** EACH OTHER... BUT FOR ALL WE KNOW, SMITH MAY ALREADY BE MARRIED!

AN UNFORTUNATE POSSIBILITY... AND ALL THE MORE REASON TO **CRACK THIS CASE!**



THE TIME HAD COME FOR A DIRECT ATTACK...

I'VE HAD TWO OTHER CASES LIKE YOURS, SMITH... AND I'VE FORMED A **THEORY!** I BELIEVE YOU ARE A **VISITOR FROM OUTER SPACE**... AND THAT SOMEHOW, ENTERING THE EARTH'S ATMOSPHERE, SUCH VISITORS EXPERIENCE A **LOSS OF MEMORY!**



ALL OUR TESTS SHOW THAT PHYSICALLY AND MENTALLY, YOU ARE **MILLENIUMS** AHEAD OF NORMAL MEN! CONSIDER THE PECULIAR CLOTHES YOU WERE WEARING WHEN FOUND... YOUR CONVICTION THAT THERE'S LIFE ON OTHER PLANETS...

BUT DOCTOR, HE SPEAKS ENGLISH... AND SEEMS TO KNOW A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF OUR HISTORY...



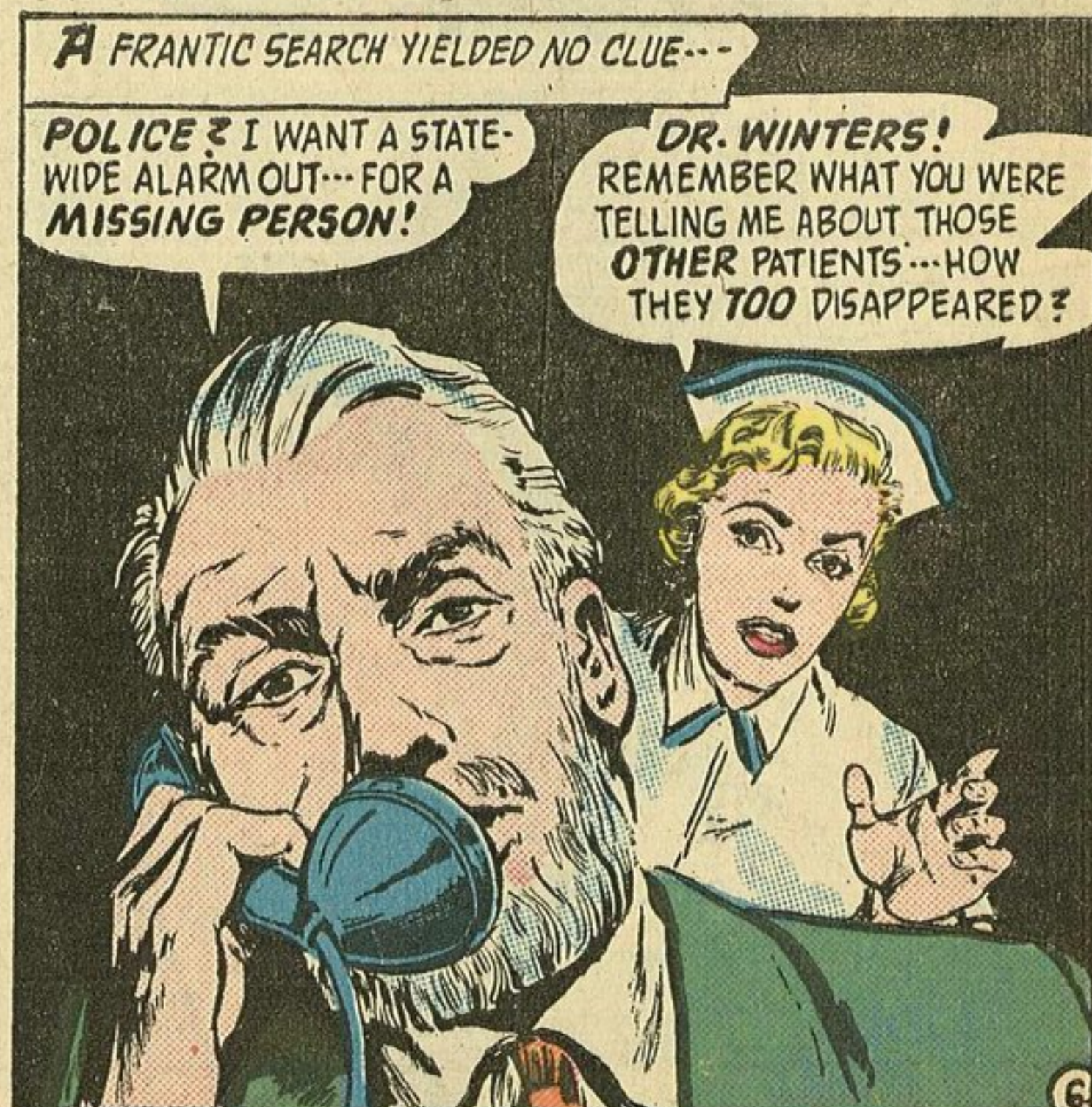
IT'S POSSIBLE THAT EARTH'S HISTORY IS SOMEHOW KNOWN IN OUTER SPACE... AND ALSO OUR LANGUAGE! WHAT DO YOU THINK, SMITH?

I DON'T KNOW, DOCTOR... YOU **MAY** BE RIGHT!



I CAN'T EXPLAIN **WHY** A VISITOR SHOULD LOSE HIS MEMORY ENTERING OUT ATMOSPHERE... BUT I BELIEVE THAT'S WHAT OCCURS!

WELL, I **DON'T!** FOR ONE THING, WHAT HAPPENS TO THE ROCKET SHIPS THEY COME IN? THERE'S GOT TO BE SOME **OTHER** EXPLANATION!



SOME TIME LATER, IN A STRANGE, FUTURISTIC CHAMBER...

WH-WHERE AM I? WHAT HAPPENED?

YOU'VE BEEN IN A DEEP COMA FOR WEEKS, TRION... BUT YOU'RE GOING TO BE ALL RIGHT NOW!

WHEN THE PATIENT HAD RECOVERED FROM HIS BRAIN INJURY...

YOU SAY I WAS FOUND WANDERING... DAZED? FUNNY, I KEEP HAVING THE FEELING THAT I WAS SOMEWHERE **DIFFERENT**... THAT I MET... SOMEONE...

IN CASES SUCH AS YOURS THERE ARE SOMETIMES PECULIAR MEMORIES... BUT THEY'RE MERELY **HALLUCINATIONS!**

I SUGGEST A MONTH'S VACATION ON **NEPTUNE** WHILE RECUPERATING! YOUR WIFE'S WAITING OUTSIDE THE HOSPITAL! GOOD LUCK!

THANK YOU... FOR EVERYTHING!

IT WAS PLEASANT TO BE IN THE STREETS OF NEW YORK AGAIN AFTER HIS LONG ILLNESS, PLEASANT TO BE GREETED BY HIS LOVING WIFE...

NO MORE ROCKET TESTING FOR YOU, TRION... THAT LAST ACCIDENT WAS ALMOST FATAL!

GOOD THING I HAD AS FINE A DOCTOR AS WINTERS TO PULL ME THROUGH!

WINTERS? WHO'S THAT? YOUR DOCTOR'S NAME WAS **KRIPPS!**

FUNNY, I HAVE **NO IDEA** WHY I SAID WINTERS! YOU KNOW, I HAVE SOME DIM MEMORY OF HAVING BEEN THROUGH A PECULIAR EXPERIENCE, BUT I CAN'T SAY JUST **WHAT!**

AS THE YOUNG COUPLE HEADED HOME...

I LOVE THIS VIEW OF NEW YORK! I WONDER WHAT IT WAS LIKE BACK IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY... **A THOUSAND YEARS AGO?**

HOW SHOULD I KNOW? I'M NO EXPERT ON ANCIENT HISTORY!

TIME! WHAT IS IT? IF ONLY DR. WINTERS HAD THOUGHT MORE ABOUT IT...

NO TRACE OF SMITH! THERE'S SOMETHING **MISSING** FROM MY THEORY... BUT **WHAT?**

HE'D BEEN CLOSE TO THE TRUTH, ALL RIGHT! FOR CERTAIN AMNESIA VICTIMS WERE STRANGE VISITORS, BUT NOT FROM SPACE! NO, FROM THE **FUTURE**... AND SOMEHOW, INEXPLICABLY, WHEN THEY CROSS THE BARRIER OF TIME, THERE IS A LOSS OF MEMORY... **BOTH WAYS**...

THE END!

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CHESTED WAS ME
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JOHN. Let's
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John Sill
before



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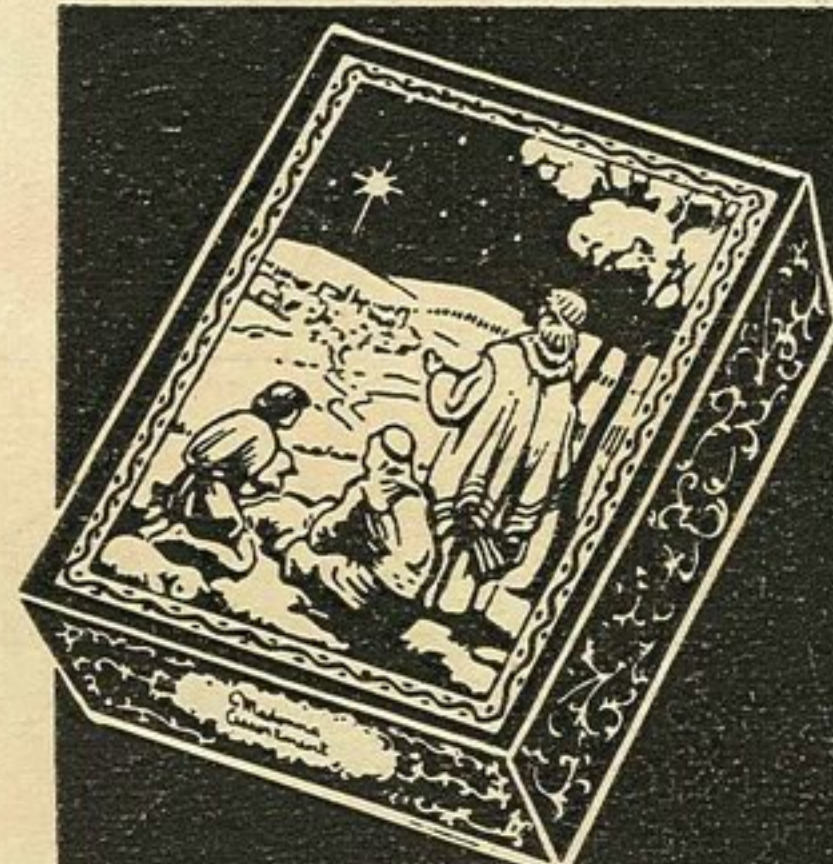
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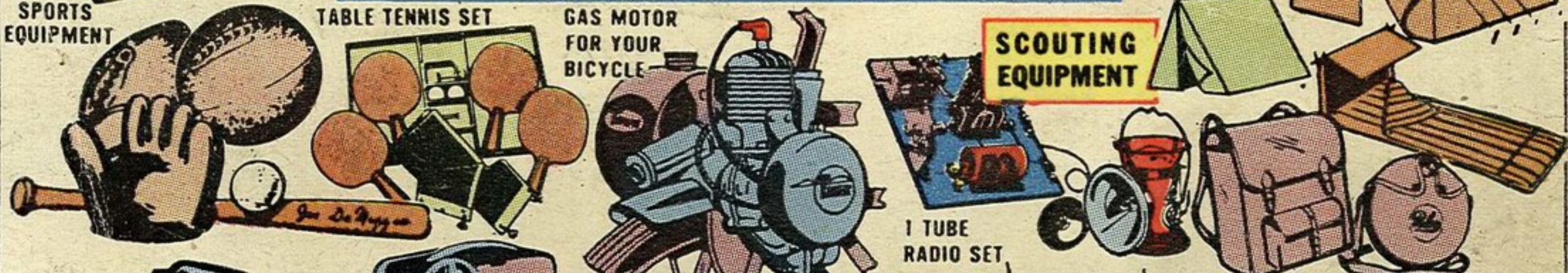


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